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A new homemaking club is established in New Hamburg. For Everyday Living, turn to... page 6.

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....and outside

Fair and cooler tonight. Sunny and pleasant Tuesday. Winds tonight and Tuesday west to northwest 6-12 m.p.h. Low tonight near 60. High Tuesday near 80. Chance for rain tonight and Tuesday five per cent.

EXTENDED OUTLOOK

Chance for thundershowers late Wednesday or Thursday. Otherwise partly cloudy and mild during period. Lows around lower 60s. Highs in lower 80s.

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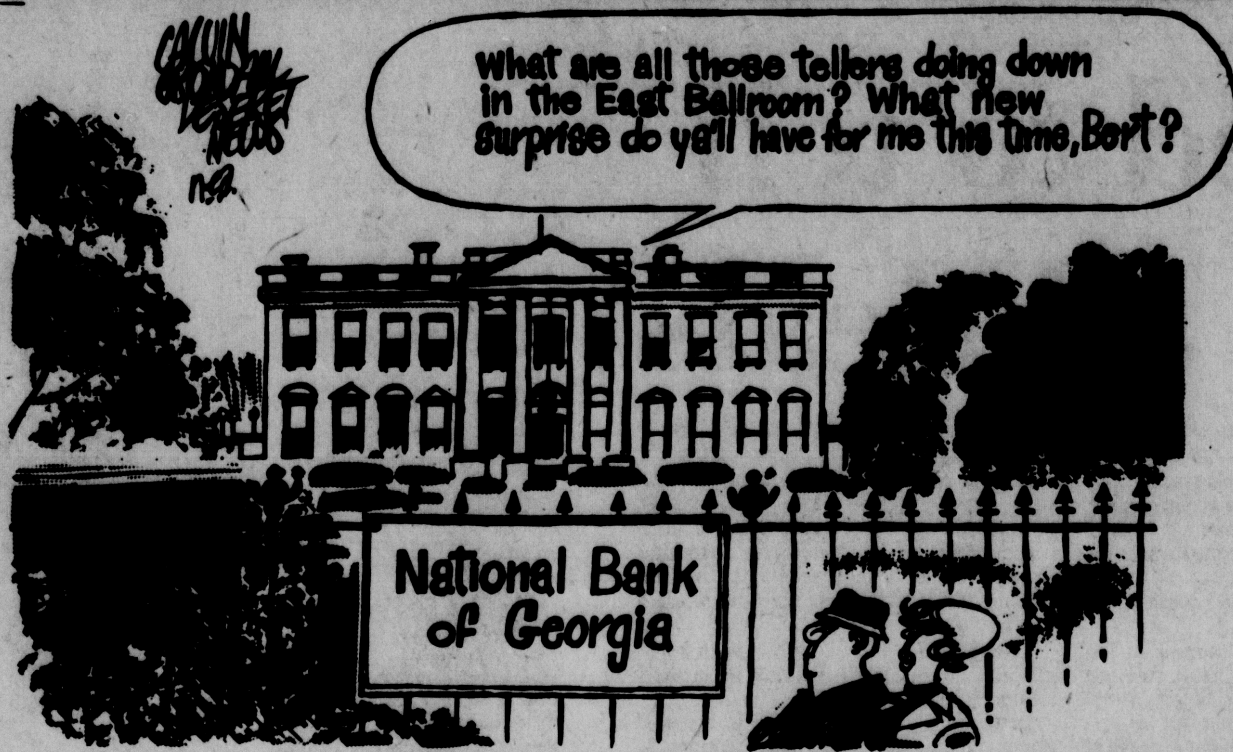
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Footnote: Brown told us he supports the concept but not the form of the banking reform legislation. Asked whether his amendments would gut the reforms, he shouted: "Gut? Gut? If you understood the bill and the way the thing works, then you would know that isn't true." But respected economists insisted that Brown's amendments would indeed gut the bill.

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Chairman Lester Wolff, D-N.Y., has laid the groundwork for Ford's appearance. But at this writing, the former president had not actually been approached. Wolff assumes the former president would testify voluntarily if a few elementary ground rules are worked out.

An informal invitation to ex-State Secretary Henry Kissinger to discuss China, however, was greeted with what one Capitol Hill source described as "reluctance." The source said Kissinger "thought he'd already appeared enough."

Earlier this month, Chinese Vice Premier Teng Hsiao-ping declared that Ford had promised during his 1975 visit to Peking that, if re-elected, he would break off relations with the Chinese Nationalists. As Teng recalled the 1975 conversation, the United States and China would then be able to establish full, formal diplomatic relations.

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The erosion of workers' rights by compulsory unionism must be stopped if Labor Day, which is meant to honor America's hard-working labor force, is to have any real meaning. A national right to work law would be an effective solution, since it would make all discrimination based on union membership or non-membership illegal. But, enactment of such a law by the

present Congress is unlikely. Unfortunately, many Americans have a cavalier attitude about compulsory unionism — maybe because they find it hard to believe that the American system would allow the infringement of workers' rights. Yet there are 30 states in this country which permit the firing of working people who refuse to pay money to unwanted unions.

And we call this the land of the free?

Moreover, thousands of workers this very moment are supporting unions against their will, rather than voice their opposition and endanger their means of livelihood. And we call it home of the brave?

Unions who forcibly extract "support" from workers are obviously not representative bodies. And wasn't "taxation without representation" a major cause of the American revolution 201 years ago?

Labor Day or not, it seems the Bicentennial fervor for freedom has all but fizzled out. It is the worker himself who can best decide whether a union can help him or not. Voluntary unionism can ensure that it is the millions of workers who are making this crucial decision, not a few self-serving union officials. Freedom and the Right to Work must be made inalienable so there can be something worthwhile to celebrate on Labor Day 1978.

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WASHINGTON — For centuries Americans had all the energy they needed. They used it to build the most productive country the world has ever known.

Today the United States uses about 31 per cent of the world's energy. It produces 30 per cent of the world's product. That is a pretty close match. It belies charges that we waste energy.

But now oil and gas are running short. New sites for hydroelectric plants are scarce. Environmental restrictions make it harder to dig coal and to burn it. Protesters oppose nuclear power.

Yet the country is growing. The need for more energy is growing right along with it. When there isn't enough of it people suffer. Fuel frozen up during January's bitter weather proved that.

President Jimmy Carter's energy program is built around the idea that wasted energy won't heat homes, make jobs or defend a country. He has fashioned a program to conserve it. But many people doubt that conservation alone is enough.

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Importing oil can't be the way out. It costs too much. We must use energy resources we have. Coal and uranium are left to do the job our depleting petroleum reserves can't do. These two solid fuels can give us the energy to live well for centuries.

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comedown in pay and lifestyles would ensue.

Unfortunately President Carter's focus on conservation rather than balancing it with production needlessly risks just that kind of a future. We have enough unmined coal under U.S. land to last us for 200 years. Above ground there is uranium sufficient to fuel us for 165 years. Add uranium yet to be mined and there's enough for a thousand years.

But to last that long uranium should be used in a newer kind of nuclear power plant than those now generating 10 per cent of U.S. electricity. The new technology is called "breeding" because while burning uranium as a fuel to make electricity — as today's reactors do — it manages to make even more of an entirely new kind of nuclear fuel as a by-product.

Up to now we have simply burned up the energy resources nature gave us. But the miraculous new technology of breeder reactors gives us a way to use energy and at the same time make more of it to rebuild the world's energy stockpiles.

The Catch-22 here is that the new kind of fuel is plutonium. If it gets in the wrong hands it might be used to make nuclear explosives instead of electricity.

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Is such a great sacrifice necessary? Is the proliferation threat really that dangerous? Whatever its size, are there more efficient and less costly ways to contain it?

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It is a curious holiday. And one that we probably spend too little time thinking about.

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This is the world of compulsory unionism, where a worker's union membership card is more important than his desire and ability to work. Where the union boss is king.

The erosion of workers' rights by compulsory unionism must be stopped if Labor Day, which is meant to honor America's hard-working labor force, is to have any real meaning. A national Right to Work law would be an effective solution, since it would make all discrimination based on union membership or non-membership illegal. But, enactment of such a law by the

present Congress is unlikely.

Unfortunately, many Americans have a cavalier attitude about compulsory unionism — maybe because they find it hard to believe that the American system would allow the infringement of workers' rights. Yet there are 30 states in this country which permit the firing of working people who refuse to pay money to unwanted unions.

And we call this the land of the free?

Moreover, thousands of workers this very moment are supporting unions against their will, rather than voice their opposition and endanger their means of livelihood. And we call it home of the brave?

Unions who forcibly extract "support" from workers are obviously not representative bodies. And wasn't "taxation without representation" a major cause of the American revolution 201 years ago?

Labor Day or not, it seems the Bicentennial fervor for freedom has all but fizzled out.

It is the worker himself who can best decide whether a union can help him or not. Voluntary unionism can ensure that it is the millions of workers who are making this crucial decision, not a few self-serving union officials. Freedom and the Right to Work must be made inalienable so there can be something worthwhile to celebrate on Labor Day 1978.

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THE TASK AHEAD By RAY CROW

Our Bicentennial Year is past, And if much hard work is done,

It's possible our land may last Till the Tricentennial one!

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Auto repairman to customer: "Sir, you have the satisfaction of knowing that your bill set a new house record."

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Without Sophisticated Nuclear Power — No Jobs, No Industry, No Economy. Eventually Victor Riesel's guest columnist today is Craig Hosmer of the American Nuclear Energy Council, who writes on the necessity of facing up to the challenge of nuclear power if we are to maintain the American economy and way of life.

By CRAIG HOSMER Chairman, American Nuclear Energy Council

WASHINGTON — For centuries Americans had all the energy they needed. They used it to build the most productive country the world has ever known.

Today the United States uses about 31 per cent of the world's energy. It produces 30 per cent of the world's product. That is a pretty close match. It belies charges that we waste energy.

But now oil and gas are running short. New sites for hydroelectric plants are scarce. Environmental restrictions make it harder to dig coal and to burn it. Protesters oppose nuclear power.

Yet the country is growing. The need for more energy is growing right along with it. When there isn't enough of it people suffer. Fuel frozen up during January's bitter weather proved that.

President Jimmy Carter's energy program is built around the idea that wasted energy won't heat homes, make jobs of defend a country. He has fashioned a program to conserve it. But many people doubt that conservation alone is enough.

They know that it takes an enormous amount of energy to run the country. Shortages risk distress, unemployment and lowered living standards. So, Americans are uneasy with the Carter energy plan. They think it ought to emphasize energy production along with conservation.

Importing oil can't be the way out. It costs too much. We must use energy resources we have. Coal and uranium are left to do the job our depleting petroleum reserves can't do. These two solid fuels can give us the energy to live well for centuries.

Most Americans want to use them. Opinion polls endorse nuclear power 2 to 1. Yet there is a vocal anti-nuclear movement and increasing opposition to coal. These streams of conflicting opinion may mean that energy is debated in America on two levels.

At one level the majority argues within itself how best to fuel and perpetuate our energy-dependent, high living standard society. At another level the minority concerns itself with shifting the country to a more spartan lifestyle that uses less energy. But shortages will swiftly shift us downward to a low energy society if we ever fail to produce our needs.

If that happens American workers face an uncertain future. Millions of jobs depending on skill in using mechanical and electrical energy will disappear. There would be a scramble for jobs depending on human muscle. A dramatic

comedown in pay and lifestyles would ensue.

Unfortunately President Carter's focus on conservation rather than balancing it with production needlessly risks just that kind of a future. We have enough unmined coal under U.S. land to last us for 200 years. Above ground there is uranium sufficient to fuel us for 165 years. Add uranium yet to be mined and there's enough for a thousand years.

But to last that long uranium should be used in a newer kind of nuclear power plant than those now generating 10 per cent of U.S. electricity. The new technology is called "breeding" because while burning uranium as a fuel to make electricity — as today's reactors do — it manages to make even more of an entirely new kind of nuclear fuel as a by-product.

Up to now we have simply burned up the energy resources nature gave us. But the miraculous new technology of breeder reactors gives us a way to use energy and at the same time make more of it to rebuild the world's energy stockpiles.

The Catch 22 here is that the new kind of fuel is plutonium. If it gets in the wrong hands it might be used to make nuclear explosives instead of electricity.

President Carter strongly opposes the proliferation of nuclear weapons. He has deferred the use of breeder reactors indefinitely to set an example of restraint to the world. Congress was asked to drop all funding for breeders and abandon development plans. He reasons that if we don't have breeders there won't be plutonium around to get into the wrong hands.

By this move an enormous energy resource is being put out of reach as effectively as if it did not exist. It is impossible to calculate the cost of this forbearance to Americans in human and economic terms. To others around the world depending on U.S. technology and generosity for minimum subsistence its cost might be reckoned in lives.

Is such a great sacrifice necessary? Is the proliferation threat really that dangerous? Whatever its size, are there more efficient and less costly ways to contain it?

France, Germany, Russia and other countries already have breeder reactors. Our example is unlikely to convince them to give them up. They don't think the proliferation threats warrants that amount of sacrifice. They think it is controllable by less costly means.

Nations rich enough to wage global war already have intercontinental nuclear weapons. Most other countries that could go nuclear don't want to. That leaves only 6 to 12 proliferation candidates that need to be watched. Keeping them in line by military, diplomatic, international security and similar means ought to be a manageable task.

Our policy should be to conserve energy. But it also should be to use coal and atoms to produce abundant energy so that all Americans will continue to have jobs and a decent life.

WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND



Banking Reform Measure Encountering Resistance

by Jack Anderson and Les Whitten

WASHINGTON — The same spotlight, which caught Bert Lance in its white glare, has also illuminated some shadowy banking practices. It's now all too clear that some bankers have been playing loose with their depositors' cash.

The bankers have fought, quite properly, to protect the privacy of their depositors. But some bankers have used the privacy regulations to hide their own dubious financial dealings.

Banks are regulated by federal agencies that, in turn, are supervised by Congress. But instead of watching one another, they are devoted to protecting each other. Thus the regulators and the regulated, the supervisors and the supervised have become lovingly bound in an interlocking embrace.

Congress' investigative agency, the General Accounting Office, has never been able to audit the federal agencies that oversee the banks. Not that the powers on Capitol Hill really want to expose the banks' shadowy activities.

There has been an occasional legislator, like the late grizzled old populist, Rep. Wright Patman, D-Tex., who has thumbed his nose at the banks. But the banker could always turn to many others for solace. A disturbing number of legislators seem to make it their business to see that

the banks are not deprived nor embarrassed.

Two conscientious House members, Reps. Benjamin Rosenthal, D-N.Y., and Fernand St. Germain, D-R.I., are now pushing banking reforms. They want to give the General Accounting Office the power to audit the federal banking agencies.

This overdue reform would discourage the questionable bank lending practices and municipal bond dealings that have been illuminated in recent weeks. A free-wheeling banker like Bert Lance would have been restrained.

But the legislative push by Rosenthal and St. Germain is encountering resistance in the backrooms of the House. The chief obstructionist is respected Rep. Garry Brown, R-Mich., articulate and assertive, who looks, quite appropriately, like a banker.

First, Brown lobbied the House Rules Committee to prevent the reform legislation from coming up for a vote. Failing this, he inserted a misleading statement about the bill in the Congressional Record. He coupled this with a private letter to his colleagues, urging them to gut the bill. Finally, he is offering a series of crippling amendments.

One amendment to limit disclosure, for example, would prevent government

auditors from revealing to Congress the specifics surrounding a Lance-like scandal. Congress would have to rely on the federal agencies for whatever information they might choose to furnish. Another amendment would limit the auditors' access to Federal Reserve records.

In a statement opposing the banking reform, Brown solemnly warned his House colleagues: "If the members analyze this bill closely, they will find its shortcomings outweigh its public benefits."

The members might find it more enlightening to analyze Brown's campaign contributions closely. He has never considered his public trust, as a member of the House Banking Committee, a bar to collecting large sums from the bankers.

The bankers' political action committee, BANK-PAC, gave him \$2,500 in 1970, \$2,500 in 1972, \$1,500 in 1974 and \$2,300 in 1976. He has also raked in individual contributions from executives of the Bank of America, American National Bank, Kalamazoo Bank, Detroit Bank and other banking operators.

Those who stop to consider that Brown helped write the nation's banking laws and in theory at least has an interest in preserving them might wonder.

Footnote: Brown told us he supports the concept but not the form of the banking reform legislation. Asked whether his amendments would gut the reforms, he shouted: "Gut? Gut! If you understood the bill and the way the thing works, then you would know that isn't true." But respected economists insisted that Brown's amendments would indeed gut the bill.

Ford's Coming Back? — Ex-President Gerald Ford will be invited to testify before Congress for the first time since he left the

White House. A House International Relations subcommittee wants to know whether he promised mainland China that he would break off relations with Taiwan if he were elected in 1976.

Chairman Lester Wolff, D-N.Y., has laid the groundwork for Ford's appearance. But at this writing, the former president had not actually been approached. Wolff assumes the former president would testify voluntarily if a few elementary ground rules are worked out.

An informal invitation to ex-State Secretary Henry Kissinger to discuss China, however, was greeted with what one Capitol Hill source described as "reluctance." The source said Kissinger "thought he'd already appeared enough."

Earlier this month, Chinese Vice Premier Teng Hsiao-ping declared that Ford had promised during his 1975 visit to Peking that, if re-elected, he would break off relations with the Chinese Nationalists. As Teng recalled the 1975 conversation, the United States and China would then be able to establish full, formal diplomatic relations.

Following Teng's statement, Ford confirmed that a Taiwan break had been discussed, but claimed that it had been mentioned only as a "possibility" subject to negotiations. Some apprehensive Congressmen want to pin down whether any form of agreement was reached during the Ford visit to Peking.

House sources emphasized there is no intention of roasting Ford or Kissinger if they appear. The committee will make an earnest inquiry into U.S. relations with China and Taiwan.

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Building violations covered up

FT. MITCHELL, Ky. (AP) — Numerous building code violations were covered up at the Beverly Hills Supper Club in Southgate, Ky., where 164 persons died in a fire last May, a new Kentucky state report says. Kentucky Gov. Julian Carroll, who released the report Sunday night, announced he has suspended three top state fire investigators. He said the report shows "a shocking and total disregard for human life by the owners of this club."

Alaska strong from resources

ANCHORAGE (AP) — Alaska's energy resources make the state very strong economically but also "brings the citizens of Alaska down crosswise of the national interest," a top state official says.

Robert LeRoeche, state natural resources commissioner, told the Interstate Oil Compact Commission that it is very difficult to strike a healthy balance between the national interest and the needs of the state.

The IOCC's executive committee met with state officials Friday. The group is made up of regulatory officials from other gas and oil producing states.

LeRoeche said Alaska is still learning about how to get along in the world of oil but he is "proud of the way we've kept our feet on the tumbling decks of federal and OPEC (Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries) actions."

Ian Smith awaits clarification

SALISBURY, Rhodesia (AP) — Rebuffed by moderate black leaders, Prime Minister Ian Smith says he has shelved his plan to negotiate with them and is awaiting clarification of the new British-American plan for transition to black rule. Smith told the Sunday Mail he "would wait awhile to see whether the new Anglo-American proposals are going to make any headway or not." He said he had asked the British government for elaboration on some aspects of the plan and would make counter proposals.

No mandatory retirement in CA

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — They may still do it to horses, but starting next year it will be illegal to turn most California jobholders out to pasture at a certain age.

To keep on working after normal retirement age, most jobholders will need only the desire and the ability.

Maine is the only other state with a law modifying mandatory retirement. The Maine law, which takes effect next July, covers civil service workers only.

Paley cooperated with CIA

NEW YORK (AP) — Daniel Schorr claims his former boss at CBS cooperated with the CIA.

Schorr has written a book in which he says board chairman William Paley was on "a very personal basis" with the spy agency.

Schorr left the network after the release of sensitive information to a newspaper. Now he's telling all in a book called "Clearing the Air," excerpted by New York magazine.

Among the incidents cited by Schorr was one in which Paley supposedly let the CIA use the CBS booth overlooking the United Nations Security Council so a lip-reading expert could spy on the Soviet delegation.

State Fair officials to sue Reddy

HUTCHINSON, Kan. (AP) — Singer Helen Reddy has incurred the wrath of Kansas State Fair officials.

They've asked the Kansas attorney general to sue her for canceling an appearance last Friday.

The fair's board of managers announced its intention over the weekend after deciding that Ms. Reddy did not have a sore throat nor had she been in the hospital. Those were the reasons they had been given for her cancellation.

A spokesman for the Las Vegas hotel where she was performing last week said she completed a two-week engagement Thursday night without missing a show.

'Crazy Guggenheim' hospitalized

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Comedian Frank Fontaine was in "very critical" condition in a Columbus hospital coronary care unit after becoming ill at Port Columbus International Airport.

"He is in extremely bad shape," a hospital spokeswoman said early today.

Fontaine, 57, of Winchester, Mass., was unconscious, and his relatives were on the way to Columbus, she said.

"We're not sure that he has had a heart attack," the spokeswoman said, although doctors were not ruling out the possibility.

Fontaine, known for his portrayal of the intoxicated Crazy Guggenheim on the old Jackie Gleason television show, completed a three-night performance at the Sandalwood Inn in Columbus on Saturday.

Biko's doctor criticizes US news

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Pathologists for the government and the family of dead black leader Steve Biko today disputed American news reports that he suffered multiple head and body injuries.

Dr. Jonathan Gluckman, a pathologist representing the Biko family at the autopsy on Biko's body, criticized the Washington Post and CBS News, which carried the report of the injuries and said the information came from "well-placed" South African sources.

"I am confident that no source close to the autopsy would have made such a statement," Gluckman told the Rand Daily Mail, Johannesburg's leading English-language newspaper and an opponent of the government.

Daily Record

LOCAL STOCKS

	BID	ASK
Anheuser Busch	22 3/4	24 1/4
Breray Res. Co.	3 1/4	3 3/4
Dollar General	10 1/4	10 3/4
DeKalb	24 1/4	25 1/4
181 Nat. Bk.	5	5 1/2
Jerrico	18 1/4	19
Marina Manning	2 1/4	2 3/4
Noranda Minn.	22	23
Olson Farms	3 1/4	4 1/4
Pabst Brewing	22 1/2	24
Reliable Life	18 1/4	19 1/4
Sterling Stores	5 1/4	5 3/4
Wetterau	14 1/4	14 3/4

LISTED STOCKS

Allied Stores	22 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	62 1/2
American Motors	37 1/2
Chrysler	14 1/2
Columbia Gas	30 1/2
Easton Mfg.	38 1/2
Ford Motors	44 1/2
General Motors	68 1/2
Marine and Hyatt	23 1/2
Mid-South Utilities	17
J.C. Penny	34 1/2
Occidental Pet.	24 1/2
Union Electric	15 1/4
Western Stores	16

Editors Note: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone phones 471-5350.

POLICE ARRESTS

Donisha Johnson, Cape Girardeau, petty larceny at T&E.

Doris Ann Penton, Morehouse, expired tags.

Charles Conley, Route Three, obstructing traffic.

Stephen Glenn Plunk, Matthews, reckless driving.

Estelle Ferguson, 146 Cardinal Drive, assault and battery.

Larry Leroy Twitty, Route Four, taking off at a high rate of speed.

Billy C. Cheek, 110 Ruth St., no Missouri driver's license and no city sticker.

James E. Moore, Jr., Sikeston, speeding.

R. V. Vanover, Puxico Route One, speeding.

Larry Edward Frankum, 119 Trotter St., speeding.

Gary Keith Overby, 420 Powell St., speeding.

Sammy Carroll Allen, 708 ayberry St., no city sticker, speeding.

Autrey L. Reynolds, Bertrand, speeding.

Timothy Joe Hardin, 225 Petroleum St., stop sign violation.

Mike G. Sanders, 403 Wakefield St., two counts of driving without Missouri driver's license.

Dennis James Jesman, West Lake, Wisc., held on warrant from Lake County, Ill., Sheriff's Department.

Geannette Ann Clements, no address given, nine warrants from Scott County.

Melvin Lynn Bowles, Liberty, failing to follow truck route.

Clyde Wayne Griffin, Matthews Route One, no state registration.

Barling Richard, 113 Thompson St., maintaining a public nuisance.

Vernon Leroy Douglas, 330 E. Gladys St., public intoxication.

Ronald D. McDowell, 834 William St., no city sticker.

Ronald L. Jensen, 109 David Drive, no city sticker.

Michael Car West, 415 Ruth St., careless and imprudent driving.

John T. Yerber, 1608 North St., speeding.

Jerry Dale Chambers, Sledge, speeding, driving revoked and felony insufficient funds checks.

Teresa Schumacher Arndt, 422 Coleman St., speeding.

Robert A. Ferguson, 240 W. Murray Lane, assault and battery.

CITY COURT

CHARLESTON — Charles H. Howard of Charleston forfeited \$100 bond by failure to appear in city court on charges of discharging a firearm in the city and assault.

LaRosa Bell of Charleston paid an \$11 fine on a speeding charge.

CITY COURT

NEW MADRID — Bond forfeited, ordered for failure to appear in city court this morning include Larry Williams of Kewanee, driving while intoxicated and leaving the scene of an accident, \$50; Ellis Archley of Libourn, careless and heedless driving and excessive speed \$25; and Helen Kelley of New Madrid, peace disturbance, \$25.

Kenneth Williams of New Madrid, was fined \$50 on charges of careless and reckless driving and driving while drinking.

FIRE

EAST PRAIRIE — Firemen were called to Whiting Road northeast of East Prairie at 9:40 a.m. Sunday when a 1975 model automobile owned by Gerald B. Thomas of East Prairie was extensively damaged by a fire believed to have started from a malfunction in the carburetor.

SCHOOL MENUS

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SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Sept. 19-23

Monday

Corn dog

Hashed potatoes

Green peas with carrots

Chocolate cake

Bread - Butter

Milk

Tuesday

Pizza

Buttered potatoes

Salad

Peach half

Bread-butter

Milk

Wednesday

Taco pie

Peanut butter crunch

Bread - butter

Milk

Thursday

Irish stew

Slaw

Apple sauce

Bread - butter

Milk

Friday

Beef vegetable soup

Crackers

Fruit cobbler

Milk

ACCIDENT PATIENTS

Accident patients treated and released Saturday and Sunday in emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital were:

Saturday...Anthony Robinson, 10 Charleston, fell on pole of iron hurting eye; Mary Autry, 76, Sikeston, displaced and fractured wrist from fall; David Mayfield, 9, Sikeston, knee hit chin cutting tongue; Jerry Holland, 56, New Madrid, accidentally fell cutting scalp and nose; Ron Ward, 16, East Prairie, received bruises and scrapes to chest from involvement in auto accident; James Crouch, 6, New Madrid, sprained right foot in bicycle accident.

Sunday...Bearl Modglin, 58, Greenfield, Ind., cut nose in auto accident; Delbert Potter, 68, Greenfield, Ind., received scrapes to scalp in auto accident; Melba Potter, 5, Greenfield, Ind., involved in auto accident; Yvette Potter, 40, Greenfield, Ind., involved in auto accident; Chris Dunninger, 7, Charleston, cut toe on glass; Jerry Slaco, 15, Sikeston bit by monkey; Joseph Baldwin, 27, Marston, hurt left shoulder while playing softball; Kim Stallings, 15, Charleston, horse stepped on side breaking ribs; Kyle Roberts, 2, Benton, dog bite to left wrist; Ruby Haney, 1, Wolf Island, swallowed a piece of glass; Bonnie Sener, 9, Sikeston, bruised nose falling from bunk bed; Bernice Carroll, 51, Wilson, Ark., fell bruising left forearm; Melissa Cichran, 2, Sikeston, brother pulled on arm and dislocated shoulder; Mary Wilson, 4, Sikeston, received puncture wound to right foot from stepping on nail; Taylor, Duncan, 45, Sikeston, cut finger at work; Thomas Colbert, 23, Arab, stuck needle in heel.

Lora Daugherty, 10, Sikeston, broken right finger; Hazel, Shelton, 58, Millstadt, Ill., closed car door on cutting finger; Joseph Bixler, 7, New Madrid, cut left wrist on tin; Florence Christman, 45, Sikeston, fell and bruised both knees at nursing home; Ronald Ivie, 16, Sikeston, received multiple scrapes from motorcycle accident; Mike Reynolds, 16, Aniston, broken right left from motorcycle accident; Nancy Davidson, 16, Sikeston received multiple bruises from auto accident; Michael Maness, 8, Wyatt, lawnmower ran over and amputated right big toe; George Johnson, 76, Sikeston, sprained neck in auto accident.

HOSPITAL NOTES

MISSOURI DELTA

Saturday

Released:

Paulette Burney, East Prairie, Jacqueline Lewis, Sikeston, Pamela Masterson, Sikeston, Debra McDowell, Charleston, Frances Abernathy, Canolou, Tina Shaw, Charleston, Lowell Perkins, Bernice, Walter Vines, East Prairie, Eunice Rudd, Sikeston, Ruth Piper, Wyatt, Harrie Edith, New Madrid, Sunday

Sunday

Released:

Vida Davidson, East Prairie, Jennifer Smith, Sikeston, Allene Jackson & Baby Boy, East Prairie, Lisa Myers & Baby Girl, Matthews, Ellen Brandon & Baby Boy, Sikeston, Georgia Watson, Sikeston, Ted Rayburn, East Prairie, Liana Partin, Iino, Jeanie Drury, Bertrand, Rachel Wheeler, Sikeston, Zandra Hunt, Bertrand, Angel Kellert, Sikeston, Darin Woods, Morley, Edward Roberts, Sikeston, Dolly Kirby, Sikeston, Donna Stucker, New Madrid, Sheila Dittio, East Prairie, PEMSOT MEMORIAL

Released:

Cerethra Brackens, Hayti, Imogene Craig, Hayti, Elmer Wheeler, Caruthersville, Dwight Clayton, Wardell, DEXTER MEMORIAL

Admitted:

Joe Lee, Malden, Della Pflueger, Bernice, Trika Young, Bernice, Florence Miller, Dexter, Wayne Heath, Dexter, Gary Sims, Bernice, Johnnie Cavaness, Dexter, Teresa Stannberry Morehouse

Released:

Ernest Craig, Malden, Beulah Putnam, Dexter, Lillian Miller, Bloomfield, Ida Sticks, Dexter, Rufus Jones, Dexter, Rachel Pettigrew, Parma, Brenda Condict, and baby boy, Dexter

Linda Glass, Dexter, Pearl Brown, Dexter, Minnie Smith, Essex, CHAFFEE GENERAL

Released:

Gracie Cook, Millersville, Claud Curtis, Chaffee, Jeff Doty, Scott City, Marvin Henson, Mill Springs, SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

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RIVER STAGES

	Flood	Now	Chg.
Chester	27	20.5	-6.5
Cape Girardeau	32	25.5	-6.5
New Madrid	34	28.5	-5.5
Caruthersville	32	27.5	-4.5

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall .7 Tuesday; fall 2.0 Wednesday; and fall 1.7 Thursday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall 1.0 Tuesday; fall .6 Wednesday; and fall 1.6 Thursday.

At New Madrid the river will rise .5 Tuesday; fall .3 Wednesday; and fall 2 Thursday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise 1.0 Tuesday; rise .5 Wednesday; and fall 4 Thursday.

Ohio River

	Flood	Now	Chg.
Golconda	40	13.0	-27.0
Paducah	39	14.2	-24.8
Grand Chain	42	25.1	-16.9
Cairo	40	26.4	-13.6

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will rise 1.0 Tuesday; fall .5 Wednesday; and stay the same Thursday.

At Paducah the river will rise .8 Tuesday; rise 1.0 Wednesday; and rise 5 Thursday.

At Grand Chain No Forecast Available.

At Cairo the river will fall .3 Tuesday; fall .4 Wednesday; and fall 1.0 Thursday.

Vanities Conquer Clutter

The secret to living with a small bath that is often "standard equipment" in many homes is to devise ways of getting the most from the least amount of space.

Changing a cramped bath into a comfortable one may require little more than adding a vanity below the sink and installing dividers to compartmentalize the toilet, sink and bathtub areas.

Vanity shelves and drawers can then be used to store the family's accumulated appliances such as electric toothbrushes, hairdryers and shavers along with its wealth of medicines and cosmetics.

Modern, prefabricated, factory-assembled bath vanities are available in a variety of styles and sizes to suit just about every decorating taste. But good styling is no guarantee of quality construction. The way to determine whether quality has been built into the bath vanity is to look for the certification seal of the National Kitchen Cabinet Association. It's a small, circular, blue and white emblem usually attached to the inside of a door or drawer.

The seal indicates the vanity has passed the tough construction and performance standards of the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). To earn the seal, vanity finishes, like those on certified kitchen cabinets, have to withstand the potentially harmful effects of detergent splashes and the spills of creams, cosmetics, grease and cleaning agents. The structure of vanities also has to withstand such abuse as overloaded drawers and door slamming with feet or knees. Only "certified" vanities and kitchen cabinets are entitled to display the NKCA certification seal.



When Napoleon was exiled to Elba, a Mediterranean island, his mother followed him there.

Minor damage reported

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Thunderstorms lingered in southeastern Missouri this morning as a cold front moved out of the state, but the forecast for the remainder of the week called for mild weather.

Storms in the eastern part of the state caused minor damage during the night, but there were no reports of injuries. Some limbs and power lines were knocked down by high winds at Poplar Bluff, and there were reports of a damaged carport and a plate glass window blown out at Campbell.

Nearly an inch of rain fell at St. Louis during an electrical storm Sunday night, and about three-fourths of an inch fell at Cape Girardeau in the 24-hour period ended at 7 a.m.

Sunny skies covered most areas of Missouri this morning and were expected to spread across the state during the day. The National Weather Service said highs today would be in the 70s, with some readings in

the low 80s in the extreme southeast.

Clear and cooler weather was forecast for tonight, with lows expected to be near 60 in the Bootheel and in the 50s elsewhere. Highs Tuesday were expected to be in the low to middle 70s.

Highs in Missouri Sunday varied from 80 at Springfield to 82 at St. Joseph. Lows ranged from 53 at Grandview and Kansas City International Airport to 67 at Cape Girardeau.

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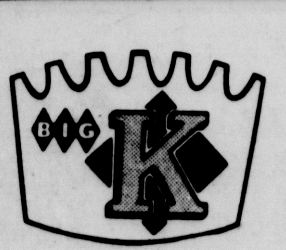
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However, Rep. Martha Keyes, D-Kan., also in the Kansas City area during the weekend, said she felt Lance should resign.

Eagleton made his distaste for the whole proceeding national knowledge Friday when he blamed the Senate committee taking testimony from Lance for ganging up on the embattled appointee of President Carter. Eagleton sits on the committee which held the three days of televised hearings.

Building violations covered up

FT. MITCHELL, Ky. (AP) — Numerous building code violations were covered up at the Beverly Hills Supper Club in Southgate, Ky., where 184 persons died in a fire last May, a new Kentucky state report says. Kentucky Gov. Julian Carroll, who released the report Sunday night, announced he has suspended three top state fire investigators. He said the report shows "a shocking and total disregard for human life by the owners of this club."

Alaska strong from resources

ANCHORAGE (AP) — Alaska's energy resources make the state very strong economically but also "brings the citizens of Alaska down crosswise of the national interest," a top state official says.

Robert LeResche, state natural resources commissioner, told the Interstate Oil Compact Commission that it is very difficult to strike a healthy balance between the national interest and the needs of the state.

The IOCC's executive committee met with state officials Friday. The group is made up of regulatory officials from other gas and oil producing states.

LeResche said Alaska is still learning about how to get along in the world of oil but he is "proud of the way we've kept our feet on the tumbling decks of federal and OPEC (Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries) actions."

Ian Smith awaits clarification

SALISBURY, Rhodesia (AP) — Rebuffed by moderate black leaders, Prime Minister Ian Smith says he has shelved his plan to negotiate with them and is awaiting clarification of the new British-American plan for transition to black rule. Smith told the Sunday Mail he "would wait awhile to see whether the new Anglo-American proposals are going to make any headway or not." He said he had asked the British government for elaboration on some aspects of the plan and would make counter proposals.

No mandatory retirement in CA

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — They may still do it to horses, but starting next year it will be illegal to turn most California jobholders out to pasture at a certain age.

To keep on working after normal retirement age, most jobholders will need only the desire and the ability.

Maine is the only other state with a law modifying mandatory retirement. The Maine law, which takes effect next July, covers civil service workers only.

Paley cooperated with CIA

NEW YORK (AP) — Daniel Schorr claims his former boss at CBS cooperated with the CIA.

Schorr has written a book in which he says board chairman William Paley was on "a very personal basis" with the spy agency.

Schorr left the network after the release of sensitive information to a newspaper. Now he's telling all in a book called "Clearing the Air," excerpted by New York magazine.

Among the incidents cited by Schorr was one in which Paley supposedly let the CIA use the CBS booth overlooking the United Nations Security Council so a lip-reading expert could spy on the Soviet delegation.

State Fair officials to sue Reddy

HUTCHINSON, Kan. (AP) — Singer Helen Reddy has incurred the wrath of Kansas State Fair officials.

They've asked the Kansas attorney general to sue her for canceling an appearance last Friday.

The fair's board of managers announced its intention over the weekend after deciding that Ms. Reddy did not have a sore throat nor had she been in the hospital. Those were the reasons they had been given for her cancellation.

A spokesman for the Las Vegas hotel where she was performing last week said she completed a two-week engagement Thursday night without missing a show.

'Crazy Guggenheim' hospitalized

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Comedian Frank Fontaine was in "very critical" condition in a Columbus hospital coronary care unit after becoming ill at Port Columbus International Airport.

"He is in extremely bad shape," a hospital spokeswoman said early today.

Fontaine, 57, of Winchester, Mass., was unconscious, and his relatives were on the way to Columbus, she said.

"We're not sure that he has had a heart attack," the spokeswoman said, although doctors were not ruling out the possibility.

Fontaine, known for his portrayal of the intoxicated Crazy Guggenheim on the old Jackie Gleason television show, completed a three-night performance at the Sandalwood Inn in Columbus on Saturday.

Biko's doctor criticizes US news

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Pathologists for the government and the family of dead black leader Steve Biko today disputed American news reports that he suffered multiple head and body injuries.

Dr. Jonathan Gluckman, a pathologist representing the Biko family at the autopsy on Biko's body, criticized the Washington Post and CBS News, which carried the report of the injuries and said the information came from "well-placed" South African sources.

"I am confident that no source close to the autopsy would have made such a statement," Gluckman told the Rand Daily Mail, Johannesburg's leading English-language newspaper and an opponent of the government.

Daily Record

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1st Nat. Bk.	18 1/4	19 1/4
Jericco	22	23
Martha Manning	3 1/4	4 1/4
Noranda Minns	25 1/2	26
Olson Farms	18 1/4	19 1/4
Pabst Brewing	15 1/4	16 1/4
Reliable Life	14 1/4	15 1/4
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Ford Motors	44 1/2
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Malone and Hyde	25 1/2
Mid South Utilities	17
J.C. Penny	36 1/2
Occidental Pet.	24 1/2
Union Electric	15 1/2
Wal-Mart Stores	16

Editors Note: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCallum, registered representative for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone phone 471-5350.

POLICE ARRESTS

Denisha Johnson, Cape Girardeau, petit larceny at TG&Y.
Doris Ann Fenton, Morehouse, expired tags.
Charles Conley, Route Three, obstructing traffic.
Stephen Glenn Plunk, Matthews Route One, careless and imprudent driving.
Estelle Ferguson, 146 Cardinal Drive, assault and battery.
Larry Leroy Twitty, Route Four, taking off at a high rate of speed.
Billy C. Cheek, 110 Ruth St., no Missouri driver's license and no city sticker.
James E. Moore, Jr., Sikeston, speeding.
R. V. Vanover, Puxico Route One, speeding.
Larry Edward Frankum, 119 Trotter St., speeding.
Gary Keith Overby, 420 Powell St., speeding.
Sammy Carroll Allen, 708 Ayberry St., no city sticker, speeding.
Autrey L. Reynolds, Bertrand, speeding.
Timothy Joe Hardin, 225 Petroleum St., stop sign violation.
Mike G. Sanders, 403 Wakefield St., two counts of driving without Missouri driver's license.
Dennis James Jessman, West Alts, Wisc., held on warrant from Lake County, Ill., Sheriff's Department.
Georgette Ann Clements, no address given, nine warrants from Scott County.
Melvin Leroy Bowles, Liberty, failing to follow truck route.
Clyde Wayne Griffin, Matthews Route One, no state registration.
Earline Richard, 113 Thompson St., maintaining a public nuisance.
Vernon Leroy Douglas, 330 E. Gladys St., public intoxication.
Ronald D. McDowell, 834 Wiam St., no city sticker.
Ronald L. James, 109 David Drive, no city sticker.
Michael Carl West, 415 Ruth St., careless and imprudent driving.
John T. Yarbber, 1608 North St., speeding.
Jerry Dale Chambers, Blodgett, speeding, driving revoked and felony insufficient funds checks.
Teresa Schumacher Arndt, 422 Coleman St., speeding.
Robert A. Ferguson, 240 W. Murray Lane, assault and battery.

CITY COURT

CHARLESTON — Charles H. Howard of Charleston forfeited \$100 bond by failure to appear in city court on charges of discharging a firearm in the city and assault.
LeRosa Bell of Charleston paid an \$11 fine on a speeding charge.

CITY COURT

NEW MADRID — Bond forfeitures ordered for failure to appear in city court this morning include Larry Williams of Kewanee, driving while intoxicated and leaving the scene of an accident, \$50; Ellis Atchley of Lilbourn, careless and heedless driving and excessive speed \$25; and Helen Kelley of New Madrid, peace disturbance, \$25.
Kenneth Williams of New Madrid, was fined \$50 on charges of careless and reckless driving and driving while drinking.

FIRE

EAST PRAIRIE — Firemen were called to Whiting Road northeast of East Prairie at 9:40 a.m. Sunday when a 1975 model automobile owned by Gerald B. Thomas of East Prairie was extensively damaged by a fire believed to have started from a malfunction in the carburetor.

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ACCIDENT PATIENTS

Accident patients treated and released Saturday and Sunday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital were:
Saturday: Anthony Robinson, 10 Charleston, fell on piece of iron hurting eye; Mary Autry, 70, Sikeston, slipped and fractured wrist from fall; David Mayfield, 9, Sikeston, knee hit chin cutting tongue; Jerry Holland, 56, New Madrid, accidentally fell cutting scalp and nose; Ron Ward, 16, East Prairie, received bruises and scrapes to chest from involvement in auto accident; James Crouch, 6, New Madrid, sprained right foot in bicycle accident.
Sunday: Don Freeman, 17, Sikeston, cut right end of thumb on meat slicer; Dorothy Harrison, 54, Sikeston, fell hurting rib cage; Louis Kern, 62, Sikeston, cut right thumb on metal; Tommy Jackson, 16, East Prairie, fell and bruised left elbow and forearm; Corey McKay, 5, New Madrid, broken left clavical from fall in yard; Tina Hector, 12, Sikeston, hurt chest in physical education; William Holland, 31, Oran fell while swinging on grape vine; William Eddy, 111, 28, New Madrid, injured shoulder and elbow in fall; Heath Saylor, 6, Charleston, shot in eye with BB gun.

Sunday: Bearl Modglin, 58, Greenfield, Ind., cut nose in auto accident; Delbert Potter, 68, Greenfield, Ind., received scrape to scalp in auto accident; Melba Potter, 5, Greenfield, Ind., involved in auto accident; Yvette Potter, 60, Greenfield, Ind., involved in auto accident; Chris Dunnigan, 7, Charleston, cut toe on glass; Jerry Sisco, 18, Sikeston bit monkey; Joseph Baldwin, 27, Marston, hurt left shoulder while playing softball; Kim Stallings, 15, Charleston, horse stepped on side breaking ribs; Lori Roberts, 2, Benton, dog bite to left wrist; Ruby Haney, 1, Wolf Island, swallowed a piece of glass; Bonnie Sauer, 9, Sikeston, bruised nose falling from bunk bed; Bernice Carroll, 51, Wilson, Ark., fell bruising left forearm; Melissa Cichran, 2, Sikeston, brother pulled on arm and dislocated shoulder; Mary Willis, 46, Sikeston, received puncture wound to right foot from stepping on nail; Taylor, Duncan, 45, Sikeston, cut finger at work; Thomas Colbert, 23, Arab, stuck needle in heel.
Lost: Daugherty, 10, Sikeston, broken right finger; Hazel, Shelton, 58, Millstadt, Ill.; closed car door on cutting finger; Joseph Bixler, 7, New Madrid, cut left wrist on tin; Florence Christman, 45, Sikeston, fell and bruised both knees at nursing home; Ronald Ivie, 16, Sikeston, received multiple scrapes from motorcycle accident; Mike Reynolds, 16, Aniston, broken right left from motorcycle accident; Nancy Davidson, 16, Sikeston received multiple bruises from auto accident; Charles Maness, 8, Wyatt, lawnmower ran over and amputated right big toe; George Johnson, 76, Sikeston, sprained neck in auto accident.

HOSPITAL NOTES

MISSOURI DELTA

Saturday

Released:
Paulette Burney, East Prairie, Jacqueline Lewis, Sikeston, Pamela Masterson, Sikeston, Debra McDowell, Charleston, Frances Abernathy, Canolou, Tina Shaw, Charleston, Lowell Perkins, Bernie, Walter Vines, East Prairie, Eunice Rudd, Sikeston, Ruth Piper, Wyatt, Harrie Edmon, New Madrid.

Sunday

Released:
Ida Davidson, East Prairie, Jennifer Smith, Sikeston, Allene Jackson & Baby Boy, East Prairie, Lisa Myers & Baby Girl, Matthews, Ellen Brandon & Baby Boy, Sikeston, Georgia Watson, Sikeston, Ted Rayburn, East Prairie, Liana Partin, Illinois, Jeanie Drury, Bertrand, Rachel Wheeler, Sikeston, Zandra Hunt, Bertrand, Argel Kelley, Sikeston, Darin Woods, Morley, Edward Roberts, Sikeston, Dolly Kirby, Sikeston, Donna Sucker, New Madrid, Sheila Dittio, East Prairie.

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL

Released:
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DEXTER MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Joe Lee, Malden, Della Pfleger, Bernie, Trika Young, Bernie, Florence Miller, Dexter, Wayne Heath, Dexter, Gary Sims, Bernie, Johnnie Caviness, Dexter, Teresa Stanberry Morehouse.

Released:

Ernest Craig, Malden, Beulah Putnam, Dexter, Lillian Miller, Bloomfield, Ida Stickle, Dexter, Rufus Jones, Dexter, Rachel Pettigrew, Parma, Brenda Condit, and baby boy, Dexter.

CHAFFEE GENERAL

Released:
Gracie Cook, Millersville, Claud Curt Chaffee, Jeff Doty, Scott City, Marvin Henson, Mill Springs.

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Released:
Mrs. William Gray, Lilbourn, Mina Gertrude Schrader, Zalma, Floyd R. Sparks, Commerce.

Minor damage reported

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Thunderstorms lingered in southeastern Missouri this morning as a cold front moved out of the state, but the forecast for the remainder of the week called for mild weather.

Storms in the eastern part of the state caused minor damage during the night, but there were no reports of injuries. Some limbs and power lines were knocked down by high winds at Poplar Bluff, and there were reports of a dam-

aged carport and a plate glass window blown out at Campbell.

Nearly an inch of rain fell at St. Louis during an electrical storm Sunday night, and about three-fourths of an inch fell at Cape Girardeau in the 24-hour period ended at 7 a.m.

Sunny skies covered most areas of Missouri this morning and were expected to spread across the state during the day. The National Weather Service said highs today would be in the 70s, with some readings in

the low 80s in the extreme southeast.

Clear and cooler weather was forecast for tonight, with lows expected to be near 60 in the Bootheel and in the 50s elsewhere. Highs Tuesday were expected to be in the low to middle 70s.

Highs in Missouri Sunday varied from 89 at Springfield to 82 at St. Joseph. Lows ranged from 53 at Grandview and Kansas City International Airport to 67 at Cape Girardeau.

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But good styling is no guarantee of quality construction. The way to determine whether quality has been built into the bath vanity is to look for the certification seal of the National Kitchen Cabinet Association. It's a small, circular, blue and white emblem usually attached to the inside of a door or drawer.

The seal indicates the vanity has passed the tough construction and performance standards of the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). To earn the seal, vanity finishes, like those on certified kitchen cabinets, have to withstand the potentially harmful effects of detergent splashes and the spills of creams, cosmetics, grease and cleaning agents. The structure of vanities also has to withstand such abuse as overloaded drawers and door slamming with feet or knees. Only "certified" vanities and kitchen cabinets are entitled to display the NKCA certification seal.



When Napoleon was exiled to Elba, a Mediterranean island, his mother followed him there.

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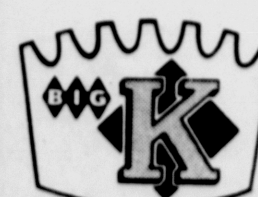
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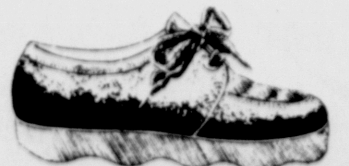
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Surprises mark first NFL Sunday

By BRUCE LOWITT
AP Sports Writer

The Oakland Raiders did their thing and the Minnesota Vikings did theirs. Like the man said, the more things change, the more they remain the same.

The Raiders picked up against San Diego where they left off last season, with the defense doing lethal but legal things and Ken Stabler throwing touchdown passes en route to a 24-0 whitewashing of the Chargers. It was the same score by which the two teams finished the 1976 regular season against each other.

The Vikings, meanwhile, picked up where they left off last January — losing. This time it wasn't the Raiders doing the damage, the way they did in Super Bowl XI. It was Roger Staubach and the Dallas Cowboys, by a 16-10 sudden-death overtime score. The last time the Vikings had been beaten at home was in the 1975 playoffs. They were victimized by ... who else? ... Roger Staubach and the Dallas Cowboys.

There were some changes, of course, in the NFL course of things. A few teams did rise up and shock fans and foes alike: —The Atlanta Falcons gave

Coach Leeman Bennett a first-game present of a 17-4 victory over Joe Namath and the Los Angeles Rams.

—The Cleveland Browns marched into Cincinnati, declared the Bengals with a ferocious defense and waited out with a 13-3 victory, their first triumph in Riverfront Stadium in five years.

—The New York Giants went with untested quarterback Jerry Golsteyn and rode his first pro TD pass — and other opportunistic moments — to a 20-17 victory over the grizzled Washington Redskins.

Oh, some things remained very much the same — like Tampa Bay and Seattle, whose expansion futility of 1976 resumed with frustration in 1977, punchless offenses compounded by porous defenses. The Bucs were beaten 13-3 by Philadelphia and the Seahawks were belted 29-14 by Baltimore.

In Sunday's other season opener it was Chicago 30, Detroit 20; New England 21, Kansas City 17; Miami 13, Buffalo 0; Green Bay 24, New Orleans 20; Denver 7, St. Louis 6, and Houston 20, the New York Jets 0. Tonight it's San Francisco at Pittsburgh.

It's nice to get a shutout and great to get off to a winning start," said Raiders Coach John Madden. And it must have been particularly nice to see a couple of rookies — people the Raiders didn't figure to be playing — figuring strongly in the scoring.

Rookie Lester Hayes blocked a punt, rookie Randy McClanahan scooped up the loose ball and ran 18 yards to the San Diego 13, and Stabler cashed it in with a seven-yard scoring toss to Cliff Branch. Later, rookie Jeff Barnes recovered a fumble by San Diego's Johnny Rodgers, and

Stabler turned it into a one-yard TD flip to Dave Casper.

"It was a near-perfect game," San Diego Coach Tommy Prothro said. He wasn't talking about his Chargers. Cowboys 16, Vikings 10.

Roger Staubach, who has gotten his lumps running with the ball, got the okay from Coach Tom Landry to try it against the Vikings with the ball on the Minnesota four-yard line midway in the fifth period.

He got a few more harmless lumps — and six big points. The Dallas quarterback, who earlier had pitched a seven-yard pass to Preston Pearson for a touchdown, took the first-down snap and took off for the left corner of the end zone. He made it — barely.

With a little luck, the Vikings wouldn't have even had the chance to try and stop him. After Minnesota's Fred Cox

kicked a 38-yard field goal with 1:35 left in the fourth period to tie it, Dallas drove deep into Viking turf — but Ebron Herrera missed a 37-yard field goal try with three seconds left.

All it did was prolong the agony for the Vikings.

Falcons 17, Rams 6

"I think no matter what we'd have done, the way they were playing, we'd have had a tough time," said Namath, who completed half his 30 passes for 141 yards — and lost 33 of them when he was sacked three times by the Falcons.

Namath threw a 27-yard touchdown pass to Harold Jackson for the game's first score. Thereafter it was all Atlanta one-yard TD plunges by running back Haskel Stanback and quarterback Scott Hunter and a 33-yard field goal by Nick Mike-Mayer.

Browns 13, Bengals 3
Having disposed of Cincinnati,

perhaps the team to beat this year in the American Conference Central Division, Cleveland quarterback Brian Sipe began thinking big ... that is, BIG!

"If we win two of our next three games, nobody can keep us out of the playoffs," he said of a Murderer's Row of schedule — New England, Pittsburgh and Oakland.

He made the Bengals believe, hitting 15 of 22 passes to put the Browns in position for Don Cockroft's field goals of 41 and 25 yards and Larry Poole's 12-yard TD run.

Patriots 21, Chiefs 17
Darryl Stingley scored twice, on a 34-yard reverse play and a 21-yard pass from Steve Grogan, then Jess Phillips ran 11 yards for the third-period TD that completed New England's comeback victory over Kansas City, which had built a 14-0 first-period lead.

Bakken has bad day; Denver wins

DENVER (AP) — Jim Bakken, the St. Louis Cardinals' reliable field goal kicker, was successful on 20 of 27 three-point attempts last season.

His "nightmarish" performance in Sunday's National Football League regular-season opener will make it hard to duplicate those impressive statistics.

Bakken missed four field goal tries as the Cardinals bowed to the Denver Broncos 7-0.

The Broncos were plagued by penalties and fumbles, but the defense held off the Cardinals twice inside the 10-yard line, and the special teams deflected two of Bakken's field-goal attempts. Otis Armstrong's 10-yard run following a muffed St. Louis punt attempt early in the third quarter was the game's lone score.

"It was amazing to win one like that," said Denver quarter-

back Craig Morton. "Our defense just did a tremendous job."

St. Louis Coach Don Coryell agreed. "I've said it all week that Denver has one of the finest defenses in the league," he said. "I think they're real title contenders."

The scoreless first half was mostly an exercise in offensive futility on the part of both teams, with Denver pinned in its own territory much of the half. Jim Hart's 48-yard pass to Mel Gray produced the game's first scoring threat in the opening period, but fullback Jim Otis was stopped twice inside the 5-yard line and Denver took possession.

Unable to move out of the hole, the Broncos were forced to punt and St. Louis moved into position for Bakken's 42-yard attempt. It sailed wide right.

Near the end of the half, Bakken lined up for a 47-yarder, which was partially blocked by Denver's Brison Manor.

Early in the third quarter, St. Louis punter Terry Joyce couldn't handle a high snap from center. His desperation pass to teammate Wayne Morris was complete, but well short of a first down, giving Denver the ball at the Card 34-yard line. After a roughing-the-passer penalty moved Denver close, Armstrong slanted off the right side for the score with 10:50 remaining in the period.

Later that quarter Bakken got two more opportunities. His 43-yard attempt was wide and a subsequent 34-yarder was deflected by Lyle Alzado.

"There was nothing wrong with the snap or the holder," Bakken said. "They were all in range, particularly at this altitude. It was nightmarish for me personally. But what upsets me most is that the team lost. I feel I owe the guys a couple."

St. Louis' final scoring chance came with two minutes remaining in the game. Hart's 40-yard pass to Ken Stone helped move the ball to the Denver 7-yard line. But Hart then threw two incomplete passes and Denver managed to run out the clock after Morton ran the bootleg for 11 yards on a third-down play.

A crowd of 75,002 in newly expanded Mile High Stadium was a stadium record as well as the largest crowd to witness a sporting event in the state.



Mississippi defensive tackle Cage (95) puts the pressure on Notre Dame quarterback Rusty Lisch (6) during Saturday's game at Jackson, Miss. Doing an effective but undetected job of holding is Steve McDaniels of the Irish, while Notre Dame's Dave Huffman (56)

and Mississippi's Willie Fry (94) also get in on the action. Ole Miss upset the third-ranked Fighting Irish 20-13. (Photo by David Ziegenhorn)

Mississippi, Nebraska surprises bad news for bowl promoters

By HERSCHEL NISSENSEN
AP Sports Writer

It's a little early in the college football season to be thinking about bowl games, so why are all those tears pouring forth from New Orleans, Dallas and Miami?

To put it as simply as possible, the reasons are as follows: Mississippi 20, Notre Dame 13 and Nebraska 31, Alabama 24.

Notre Dame, the No. 3 team in last week's Associated Press poll, was, until Saturday, the No. 1 target of the Sugar, Orange and Cotton Bowls. The Orange had visions of a match between Notre Dame and Oklahoma for the national championship, the Sugar was dreaming of Notre Dame-Alabama and the Cotton hoped to lure the Irish to meet whoever wins the anticipated wild and woolly Southwest Conference race.

Not only did Notre Dame and Alabama both jolt the bowl committees by losing, but the Sugar Bowl, whose host club is the Southeastern Conference champion, has only two unbeaten teams left in the SEC.

They are No. 13 Mississippi State and No. 19 Florida ... and guess which two teams meet next in Jackson, Miss., next Saturday. Mississippi State had the weekend off — so did No. 20 Brigham Young — while Florida bombed Rice 48-3.

Since defending national champ Pitt was knocked off by Notre Dame a week ago, that leaves 10th-ranked Penn State as the most attractive independent team in the nation. The Nittany Lions enhanced their status Saturday with a convincing 31-14 triumph over ninth-ranked Houston.

Notre Dame and Alabama weren't the only Top Twenty

teams to be embarrassed over the weekend. Maryland, rated 11th, lost to West Virginia 24-16, Arkansas trounced No. 15 Oklahoma State 28-6 and Clemson edged No. 17 Georgia 7-6.

Meanwhile, No. 1-ranked Michigan had more trouble than expected before downing Duke 21-9 and runner-up Southern California needed a 50-yard touchdown pass from Rob Hertel to Randy Simmrin with 11:48 left to turn back Oregon State 17-10. If those two teams keep winning, the Rose Bowl could have a national championship game on its hands come January.

Elsewhere, fifth-ranked Oklahoma clobbered Utah 62-24, No. 6 Ohio State trimmed Minnesota 38-7, No. 7 Texas A&M flattened Virginia Tech 27-6, No. 8 Texas Tech whipped New Mexico 40-14, No. 12 Colorado battered Kent State 42-0, No. 14 UCLA shaded Kansas 17-7, No. 16 Pitt cruised past William & Mary 28-6 and No. 18 Texas buried Virginia 68-0.

Michigan saw an early 14-0 lead dwindle to 14-9 against Duke before Rick Leach scored his second touchdown of the game in the final period.

Southern Cal needed the last quarter Hertel-to-Simmrin bomb to hold off Oregon State despite a 188-yard rushing performance by Charles White.

Ole Miss came from behind twice to shock Notre Dame, grabbing the lead both times on 10-yard touchdown passes to James Storey, the first from Bobby Garner and the latter from Tim Ellis.

Nebraska and Alabama roared back and forth for 647 yards, with the Cornhuskers winning on Richard Berns' one-yard dive midway through the final period. Nebraska intercepted five passes and also surprised Bama with a couple of trick plays, including a touchdown pass from Randy Garcia to Berns off a fake field goal.

Oklahoma rolled up 497 yards against Utah, including a 74-yard pass play from Dean Blevins to Steve Rhodes and a 54-yard gallop by freshman Jay Jimerson, last week's hero.

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Surprises mark first NFL Sunday

By BRUCE LOWITT
AP Sports Writer

The Oakland Raiders did their thing and the Minnesota Vikings did theirs. Like the man said, the more things change, the more they remain the same.

The Raiders picked up against San Diego where they left off last season, with the defense doing lethal but legal things and Ken Stabler throwing touchdown passes en route to a 24-0 whitewashing of the Chargers. It was the same score by which the two teams finished the 1976 regular season against each other.

Bakken has bad day; Denver wins

DENVER (AP) — Jim Bakken, the St. Louis Cardinals' reliable field goal kicker, was successful on 20 of 27 three-point attempts last season.

His "nightmarish" performance in Sunday's National Football League regular-season opener will make it hard to duplicate those impressive statistics.

Bakken missed four field goal tries as the Cardinals bowed to the Denver Broncos 7-0.

The Broncos were plagued by penalties and fumbles, but the defense held off the Cardinals twice inside the 10-yard line, and the special teams deflected two of Bakken's field-goal attempts. Otis Armstrong's 10-yard run following a muffed St. Louis punt attempt early in the third quarter was the game's lone score.

"It was amazing to win one like that," said Denver quarter-

back Craig Morton. "Our defense just did a tremendous job."

St. Louis Coach Don Coryell agreed. "I've said it all week that Denver has one of the finest defenses in the league," he said. "I think they're real contenders."

The scoreless first half was mostly an exercise in offensive futility on the part of both teams, with Denver pinned in its own territory much of the half. Jim Hart's 48-yard pass to Mel Gray produced the game's first scoring threat in the opening period, but fullback Jim Otis was stopped twice inside the 5-yard line and Denver took possession.

Unable to move out of the hole, the Broncos were forced to punt and St. Louis moved into position for Bakken's 42-yard attempt. It sailed wide right.

Near the end of the half, Bakken lined up for a 47-yarder, which was partially blocked by Denver's Brison Manor. Early in the third quarter, St. Louis punter Terry Joyce couldn't handle a high snap from center. His desperation pass to teammate Wayne Morris was complete, but well short of a first down, giving Denver the ball at the Card 34-yard line. After a roughing-the-passer penalty moved Denver close, Armstrong slanted off the right side for the score with 10:58 remaining in the period.

Later that quarter Bakken got two more opportunities. His 43-yard attempt was wide and a subsequent 34-yarder was deflected by Lyle Alzado.

"There was nothing wrong with the snaps or the holder," Bakken said. "They were all in range, particularly at this altitude. It was nightmarish for me personally. But what upsets me most is that the team lost. I feel I owe the guys a couple."

St. Louis' final scoring chance came with two minutes remaining in the game. Hart's 40-yard pass to Ken Stone helped move the ball to the Denver 7-yard line. But Hart then threw two incomplete passes and Denver managed to run out the clock after Morton ran the bootleg for 11 yards on a third-down play.

A crowd of 75,002 in newly expanded Mile High Stadium was a stadium record as well as the largest crowd to witness a sporting event in the state.

Coach Leeman Bennett a first-game present of a 17-6 victory over Joe Namath and the Los Angeles Rams.

The Cleveland Browns marched into Cincinnati, defeated the Bengals with a ferocious defense and walked out with a 13-3 victory, their first triumph in Riverfront Stadium in five years.

The New York Giants went with untested quarterback Jerry Golsteyn and rode his first pro TD pass — and other opportunistic moments — to a 20-17 victory over the grizzled Washington Redskins.

Oh, some things remained very much the same — like Tampa Bay and Seattle, whose expansion futility of 1976 resumed with frustration in 1977, punchless offenses compounded by porous defenses. The Bucs were beaten 13-3 by Philadelphia and the Seahawks were belted 29-14 by Baltimore.

In Sunday's other season opener it was Chicago 30, Detroit 20; New England 21, Kansas City 17; Miami 13, Buffalo 0; Green Bay 24, New Orleans 20; Denver 7, St. Louis 0, and Houston 20, the New York Jets 0. Tonight it's San Francisco at Pittsburgh.

"It's nice to get a shutout and great to get off to a winning start," said Raiders Coach John Madden. And it must have been particularly nice to see a couple of rookies — people the Raiders didn't figure to be playing — figuring strongly in the scoring.

Rookie Lester Hayes blocked a punt, rookie Randy McElanahan scooped up the loose ball and ran 18 yards to the San Diego 13, and Stabler cashed it in with a seven-yard scoring toss to Cliff Branch. Later, rookie Jeff Barnes recovered a fumble by San Diego's Johnny Rodgers, and

Stabler turned it into a one-yard TD flip to Dave Casper.

"It was a near-perfect game," San Diego Coach Tommy Prothro said. He wasn't talking about his Chargers. Cowboys 16, Vikings 10.

Roger Staubach, who has gotten his lumps running with the ball, got the okay from Coach Tom Landry to try it against the Vikings with the ball on the Minnesota four-yard line midway in the fifth period.

He got a few more harmless lumps — and six big points. The Dallas quarterback, who earlier had pitched a seven-yard pass to Preston Pearson for a touchdown, took the first-down snap and took off for the left corner of the end zone. He made it — barely.

With a little luck, the Vikings wouldn't have even had the chance to try and stop him. After Minnesota's Fred Cox

kicked a 35-yard field goal with 1:25 left in the fourth period to tie it, Dallas drove deep into Viking turf — but Efren Herrera missed a 27-yard field goal try with three seconds left.

All it did was prolong the agony for the Vikes.

Falcons 17, Rams 6. "I think no matter what we'd have done, the way they were playing, we'd have had a tough time," said Namath, who completed half his 30 passes for 141 yards — and lost 33 of them when he was sacked three times by the Falcons.

Namath threw a 27-yard touchdown pass to Harold Jackson for the game's first score. Thereafter it was all Atlanta one-yard TD plunges by running back Haskel Stanback and quarterback Scott Hunter and a 33-yard field goal by Nick Mike-Mayer.

Browns 13, Bengals 3. Having disposed of Cincin-

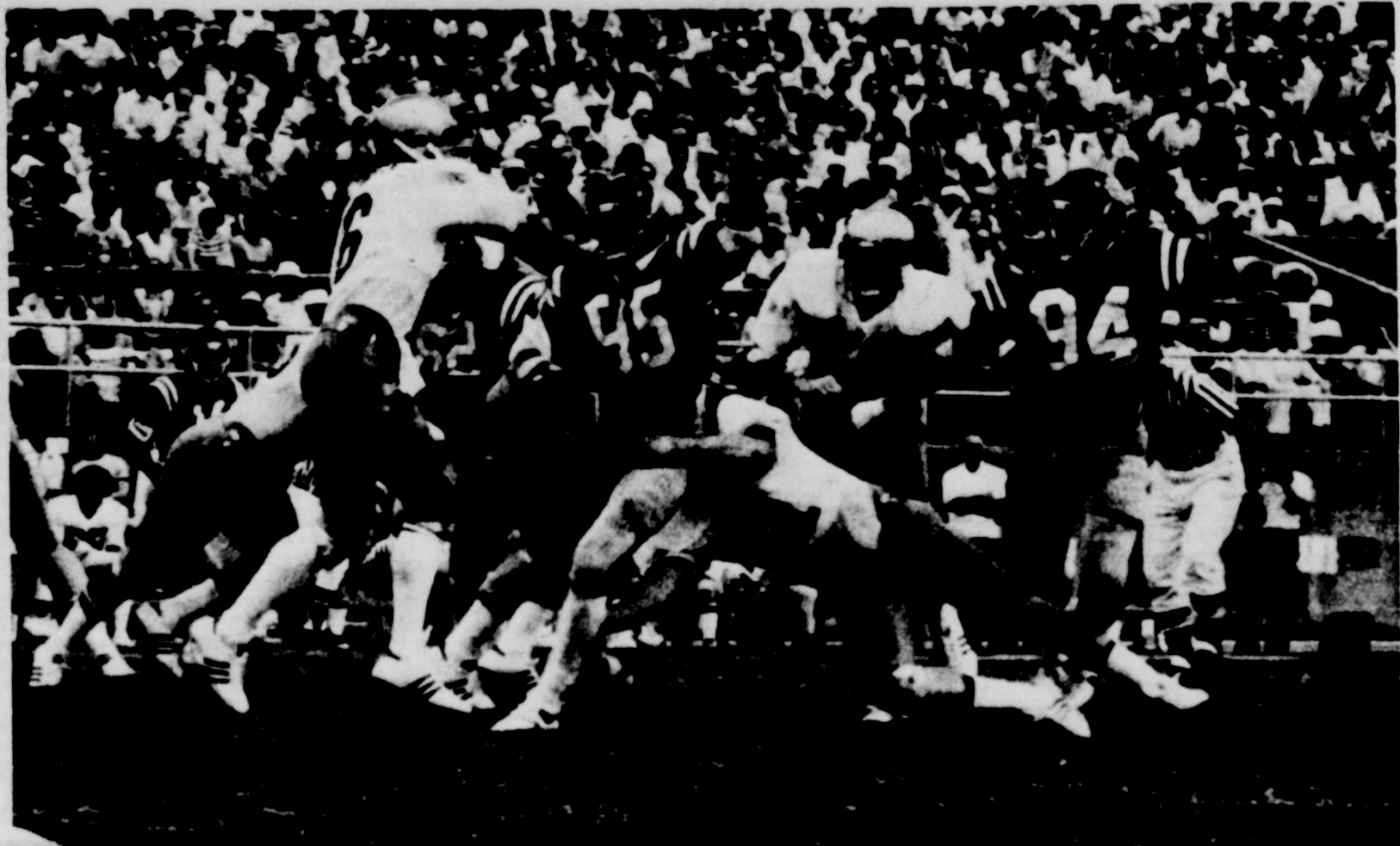
nati, perhaps the team to beat this year in the American Conference Central Division, Cleveland quarterback Brian Sipe began thinking big ... that is, BIG!

"If we win two of our next three games, nobody can keep us out of the playoffs," he said of a Murderer's Row of schedule — New England, Pittsburgh and Oakland.

He made the Bengals believers, hitting 15 of 22 passes to put the Browns in position for Don Cockroft's field goals of 41 and 25 yards and Larry Poole's 12-yard TD run.

Patriots 21, Chiefs 17.

Darryl Stingley scored twice, on a 34-yard reverse play and a 21-yard pass from Steve Grogan, then Jess Phillips ran 11 yards for the third-period TD that completed New England's comeback victory over Kansas City, which had built a 14-0 first-period lead.



Mississippi defensive tackle Cage (95) puts the pressure on Notre Dame quarterback Rusty Lisch (6) during Saturday's game at Jackson, Miss. Doing an effective but undetected job of holding is Steve McDaniels of the Irish, while Notre Dame's Dave Huffman (56)

Mississippi, Nebraska surprises bad news for bowl promoters

By HERSCHEL NISSENSEN
AP Sports Writer

It's a little early in the college football season to be thinking about bowl games, so why are all those tears pouring forth from New Orleans, Dallas and Miami?

To put it as simply as possible, the reasons are as follows: Mississippi 20, Notre Dame 13 and Nebraska 31, Alabama 24.

Notre Dame, the No. 3 team in last week's Associated Press poll, was, until Saturday, the No. 1 target of the Sugar, Orange and Cotton Bowls. The Orange had visions of a match between Notre Dame and Oklahoma for the national championship, the Sugar was dreaming of Notre Dame-Alabama and the Cotton hoped to lure the Irish to meet whoever wins the anticipated wild and woolly Southwest Conference race.

Not only did Notre Dame and Alabama both jolt the bowl committees by losing, but the Sugar Bowl, whose host club is the Southeastern Conference champion, has only two unbeaten teams left in the SEC.

They are No. 13 Mississippi State and No. 19 Florida ... and guess which two teams meet next in Jackson, Miss., next Saturday. Mississippi State had the weekend off — so did No. 20 Brigham Young — while Florida bombed Rice 48-3.

Since defending national champ Pitt was knocked off by Notre Dame a week ago, that leaves 10th-ranked Penn State as the most attractive independent team in the nation. The Nittany Lions enhanced their status Saturday with a convincing 31-14 triumph over ninth-ranked Houston.

Notre Dame and Alabama weren't the only Top Twenty

teams to be embarrassed over the weekend. Maryland, rated 11th, lost to West Virginia 24-16, Arkansas trounced No. 15 Oklahoma State 28-6 and Clemson edged No. 17 Georgia 7-6.

Meanwhile, No. 1-ranked Michigan had more trouble than expected before downing Duke 21-9 and runner-up Southern California needed a 50-yard touchdown pass from Rob Hertel to Randy Simmrin with 11:48 left to turn back Oregon State 17-10. If those two teams keep winning, the Rose Bowl could have a national championship game on its hands come January.

Elsewhere, fifth-ranked Oklahoma clobbered Utah 62-24, No. 6 Ohio State trimmed Minnesota 38-7, No. 7 Texas A&M flattened Virginia Tech 27-6, No. 8 Texas Tech whipped New Mexico 49-14, No. 12 Colorado battered Kent State 42-0, No. 14 UCLA shaded Kansas 17-7, No. 16 Pitt cruised past William & Mary 28-6 and No. 18 Texas buried Virginia 68-0.

Michigan saw an early 14-0 lead dwindle to 14-9 against Duke before Rick Leach scored his second touchdown of the game in the final period.

Southern Cal needed the last-quarter Hertel-to-Simmrin bomb to hold off Oregon State despite a 188-yard rushing performance by Charles White.

Ole Miss came from behind twice to shock Notre Dame, grabbing the lead both times on 10-yard touchdown passes to James Storey, the first from Bobby Garner and the latter from Tim Ellis.

Nebraska and Alabama roared back and forth for 847 yards, with the Cornhuskers winning on Richard Berns' one-yard dive midway through the final period. Nebraska intercepted five passes and also surprised Bama with a couple of trick plays, including a touchdown pass from Randy Garcia to Berns off a fake field goal.

and Mississippi's Willie Fry (94) also get in on the action. Ole Miss upset the third-ranked Fighting Irish 20-13. (Photo by David Ziegenhorn)

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Reds near end of line

By BARRY WILNER
AP Sports Writer

The Cincinnati Reds are one game from elimination in the National League's West Division race and they have Willie McCovey to blame for it.

On "Willie McCovey Day" at Candlestick Park, the veteran Giants slugger singled in the winning run in the ninth inning as San Francisco beat the Reds 3-2. Even though the Dodgers lost 9-6 to Atlanta, Los Angeles clinched a tie for the division title.

"Without a doubt, this is one of the great moments in my career," said McCovey, whose

18th game-winning hit of the season sent Derral Thomas home with the decisive run. "What could be better than to be given a day, have all those nice things said about you and then cap it by winning the game."

McCovey received several long ovations before the game when he was given an automobile by the Giants and a plaque from National League President Chub Feeney honoring his 2,000th hit.

Obscured by McCovey's day was the five-hit pitching of Bob Knepper, who won his fourth game in the last five decisions.

Elsewhere in the National League, St. Louis blasted Philadelphia 13-4, Pittsburgh beat Montreal 7-6 and Chicago and the Mets split a doubleheader, the Cubs taking the opener 6-3 and the Mets winning the nightcap 6-0.

Braves 9, Dodgers 8
A four-home run assault by the Dodgers was not enough to outpace the Braves. Ron Cey and Reggie Smith each hit home runs No. 30, Steve Garvey slammed his 31st and Dusty Baker got No. 28, but Jeff Burroughs' 40th round-tripper and Brian Aselstine's third helped Atlanta win the game.

Cardinals 12, Phillies 5
Keith Hernandez slugged his third grand slam of the year, tying a National League record, and Lou Brock went 5-for-5 to lead St. Louis' romp. Hernandez' blast came off reliever Warren Brusstar in the Cardinals' nine-run second inning and was the sixth grand slam of the season for St. Louis.

Bob Forsch, 18-4, was the winner but left the game after five innings with a pulled leg muscle.

Pirates 7, Expos 5, 11 innings
Phil Garner tripled home Frank Taveras for the go-ahead run, then scored the eventual winning run on a Steve Rogers' wild pitch. Bill Robinson followed with his 26th homer to cap the rally.

Kent Tekulve, 10-1, was the victor over Rogers, 16-14.

Cubs 6-4, Mets 3-4
Rick Reuschel became the second 30-game winner this season in the Cubs' opening game triumph. Reuschel, 30-4, doubled and tripled, and drove in the winning run.

The Mets took the nightcap with a five-run seventh capped by Steve Henderson's two-run triple. Craig Swan surrendered just four hits but needed relief help from Bob Myrick, who recorded his first save.

Hernandez, Brock lead Cards to 12-5 laughter

ST. LOUIS (AP) — If the major league season were just a few games longer, Keith Hernandez might be a cinch to attain his goal.

As it is, however, the young St. Louis first baseman needs to average an RBI during each of 12 remaining Cardinals games to reach his target of 100 for the year.

"I've got a good shot if we can get men on base and I don't have to do it by myself," said Hernandez, whose production through 150 games stood at 88 following a 12-5 Cards romp over the Philadelphia Phillies Sunday.

"Nothing could please me more," he added after adding four to his total with a grand slam homer, his third of the year and second this month. "The way it was today, it just might be possible."

The 23-year-old Hernandez, a left-handed hitter, picked on

Phil's rookie relief star Warren Brusstar for his bases-loaded clout, climaxing a nine-run St. Louis explosion which started at the expense of Jim Kaat, 6-10, in the second inning.

"It's funny," he said of the 1-2 pitch on which he connected. "It was 1-2 with (Gary) Lavelle when I hit my last one. Before that, it was 0-2 against (Jack) Billingham."

"What does that tell you?" mused Hernandez, whose previous grand slams this summer were against the San Francisco Giants on Sept. 3 and the Cincinnati Reds on July 29. "Off the record, it must mean I'm a good two-strike hitter."

Hernandez' homer, his 18th of the season, was accompanied by Lou Brock's five hits and Garry Templeton's four in an 18-hit Cards attack.

Brock had four singles and a double during a perfect day at the plate and scored twice,

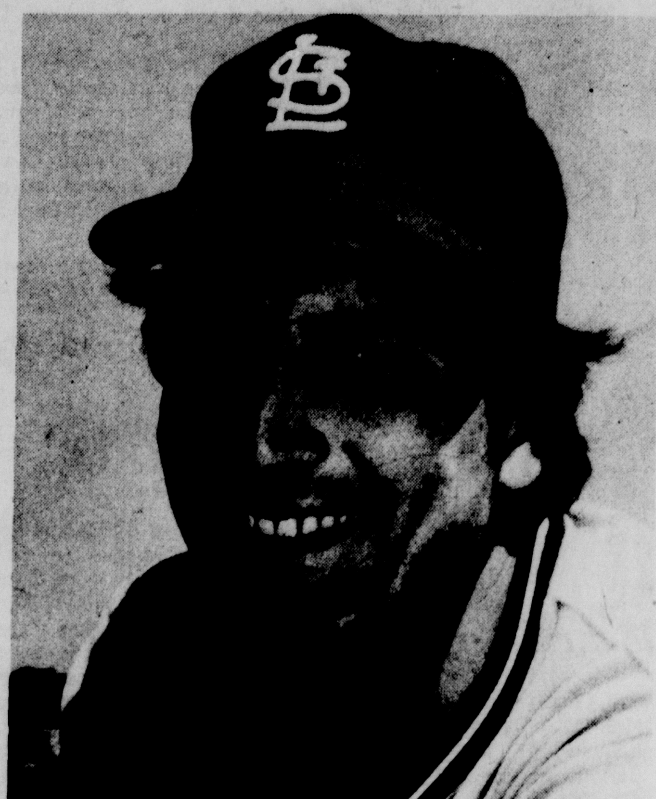
enabling right-hander Bob Forsch to coast to his 18th victory in 24 decisions with relief help after the fifth inning.

Templeton tripled, doubled and singled in his first three times at bat to set up a chance for the cycle with a home run but singled in his fourth try and later grounded out.

Philadelphia's defeat, although momentarily stalling the Phillies' title hopes in the National League East, did not upset Manager Danny Ozark, whose club retained a "magic number" of six to clinch the crown.

"We couldn't have done it here anyway," said Ozark of first-place Philadelphia's countdown. "Everybody's kind of hoping we can do it at home."

"I'm going to rest a few — take a guy out or something," remarked Ozark of his plans for the Phil's final 13 games, "but I'm not going to make any major changes in our lineup."



Keith Hernandez

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Detroit	87	61	.589	4 1/2
Cleveland	87	62	.587	4 1/2
Milwaukee	83	69	.543	11
Toronto	51	97	.345	41
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N York	60	.397	34

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Buf	10	0	1.000	0	13
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Hain	10	0	1.000	20	0
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	November 28	December 31	1-1
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Turkey (Archery)	October 1	October 31	1-1
Dove	Now Open	October 30	10-20
Rail	Now Open	November 9	25-25
Rabbit (Cottontail & Swamp)	October 1	February 15	6-12
Woodcock	October 1	December 4	5-10
Snipe	October 1	December 4	8-16
Ducks (Northern Zone)	October 25	December 8	Point System
Ducks (Southern Zone)	November 15	December 29	Point System
Geese	October 25	Varies	See Regulations
Gallinule	Now Open	November 9	15-30
Quail	November 10	January 15	6-12
Pheasant (Rooster)	November 10	December 31	1-2
Furbearers (Hunting)	November 20	January 5	Fox & Bobcat Closed
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Trout Parks	Now Open	October 31	5-10
Non-Game Fish (Snagging, Snaring, etc.)	October 1	December 31	See Wildlife Code
Paddlefish (Snagging)	October 1	December 31	2-2
Bullfrogs	Now Open	November 30	8-8

Rookie's homer helps Royals to 8-3 triumph; magic number down to 4

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Clint Hurdle fell short of every ball-player's dream — a home run in his first major league at-bat. But the 20-year-old rookie got the hang of big-league hitting fast enough for Glenn Abbott.

"I don't care how, I just wanted to get one," grinned Hurdle Sunday after his two-run homer started the Kansas City Royals on their way to an 8-3 win over the Seattle Mariners. "A broken bat, ground ball, anything."

Abbott, 11-12, had a no-hitter going until John Mayberry doubled down the right-field line to lead off the fifth inning.

Then the 6-foot-3, 185-pound Hurdle, who had grounded out weakly to third base in his first plate appearance, belted an Abbott fast ball 425 feet against an advertising sign beyond the right-field fence.

Hurdle, called up after the Royals' Omaha farm club finished its season, got an opportunity to play his first major league game because Manager Whitey Herzog gave Al Cowens the day off.

"First I heard about it was when Duke (John Wathan) came up and said, 'Did we clinch already? You're in there,'" Hurdle said.

The Royals built their lead to 4-0 before the Mariners' Dan Meyer slammed a three-run homer in the sixth inning, his 21st of the year.

But John Mayberry quickly put the game away in the bottom of the inning with a three-run shot of his own, No. 22. Kansas City starter Dennis Leonard went all the way, improving his record to 18-11.

Voted the most valuable player in the American Association this summer, Hurdle hit .328 with 16 home runs and 66 runs batted in at Omaha. He has been described by some scouts as the best outfield prospect in the minor leagues.

"I think he's a lot like (George) Brett," said Herzog. "After seeing him in spring training, I'd say he has the same kind of attitude. He likes to play."

BALTIMORE — American League President Lee MacPhail denied a request by the Baltimore Orioles to set aside their forfeit loss of last Thursday's game in Toronto.

Darrell Johnson, manager of the Mariners, was also impressed by Hurdle, who also brought the crowd to its feet with a deep flyout in the sixth.

"It's hard to tell from one game, but he looks like a good young prospect. He's big and looks like he has some juice in him," the taciturn Johnson said.

A Kansas City attendance record of 1,711,621 was established Sunday by the crowd of

33,397 as the Royals won their 29th game in 33 outings and reduced their "magic number" for winning the American League West title to four.

"I'd like to clinch it at home on Wednesday (against Minnesota)," said Herzog, whose team begins an eight-game road trip Sept. 23.

"But if we can't do that, I'd rather do it on the road, instead of waiting to come home again."

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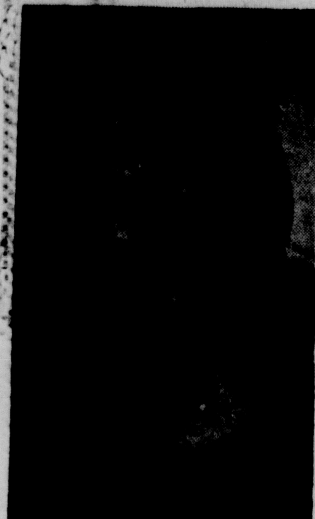
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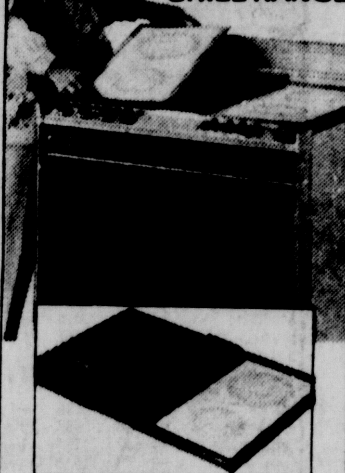


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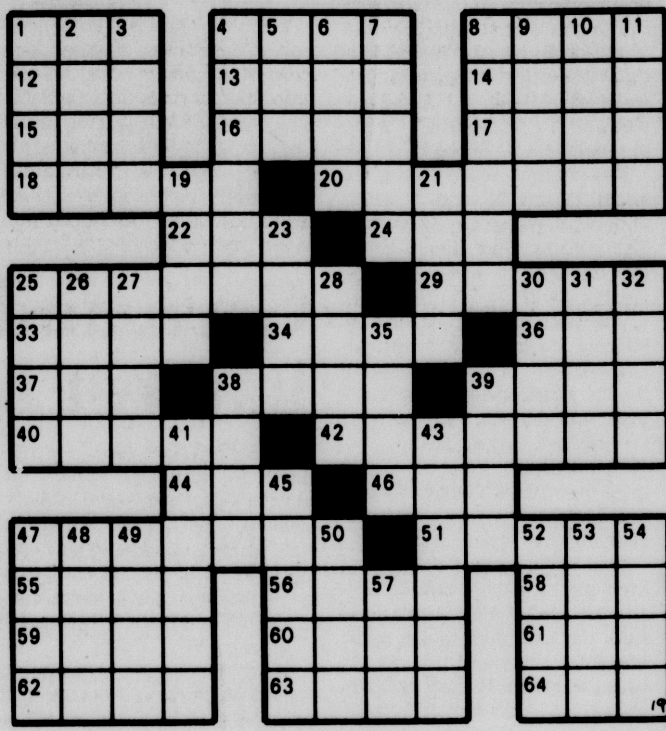
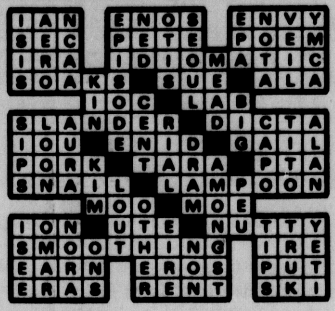
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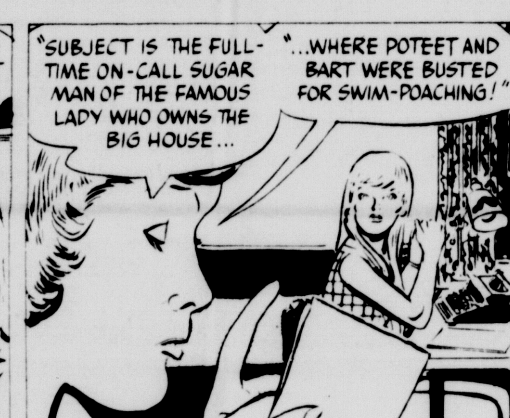
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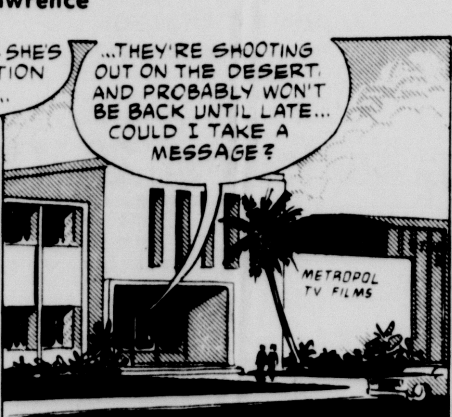
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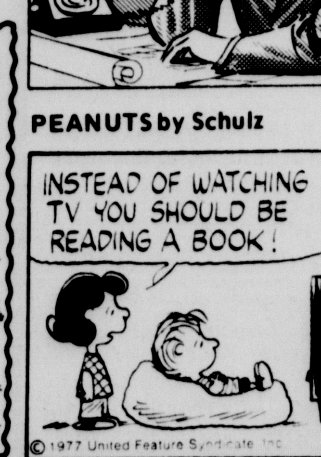
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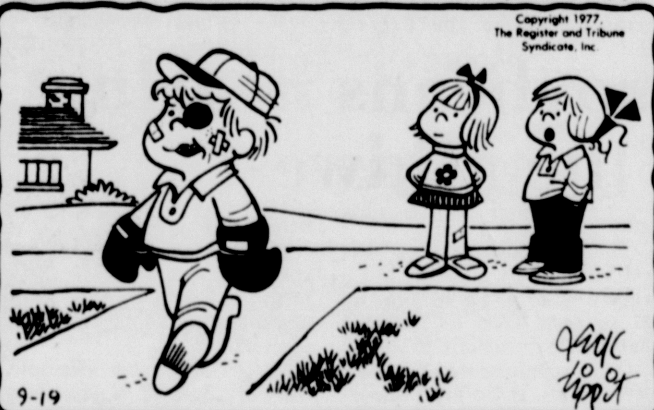
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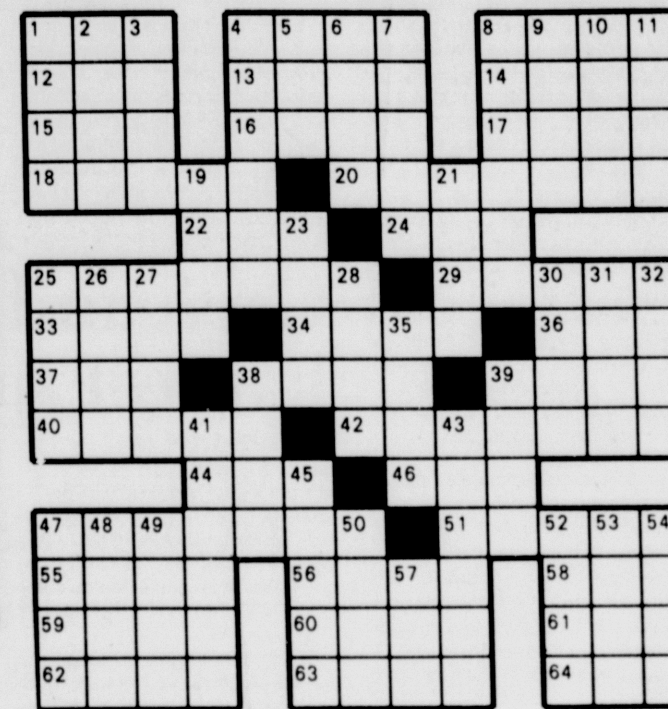
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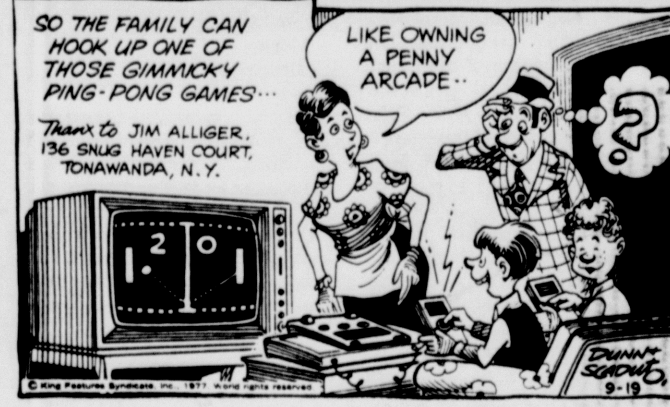
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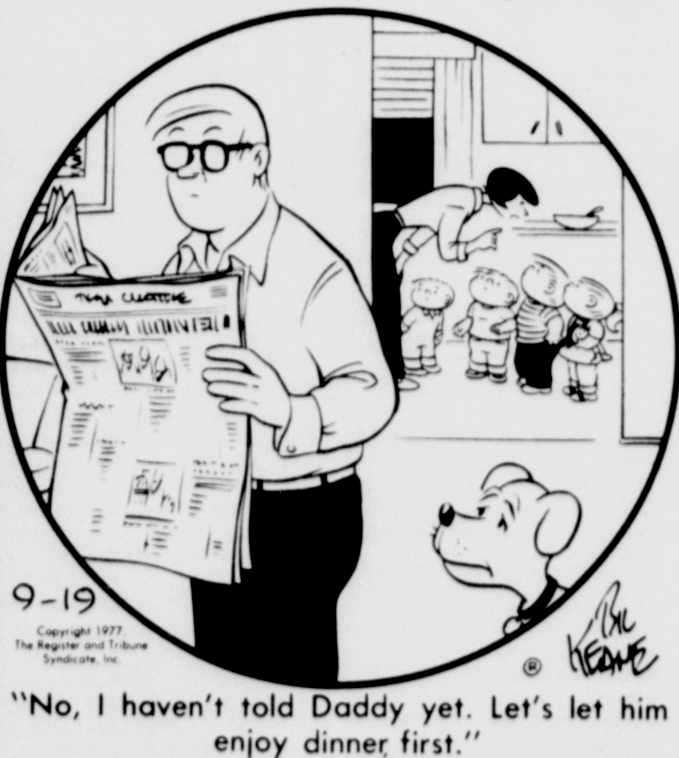


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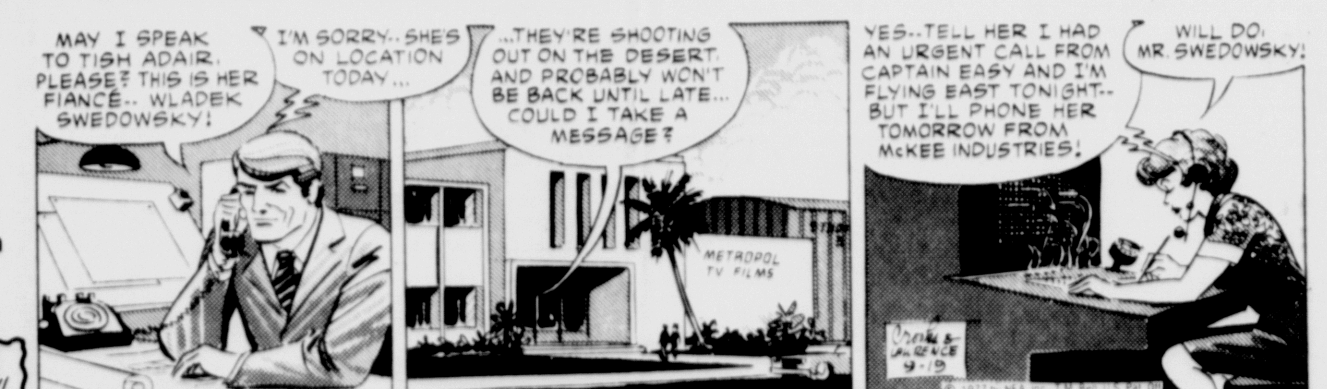
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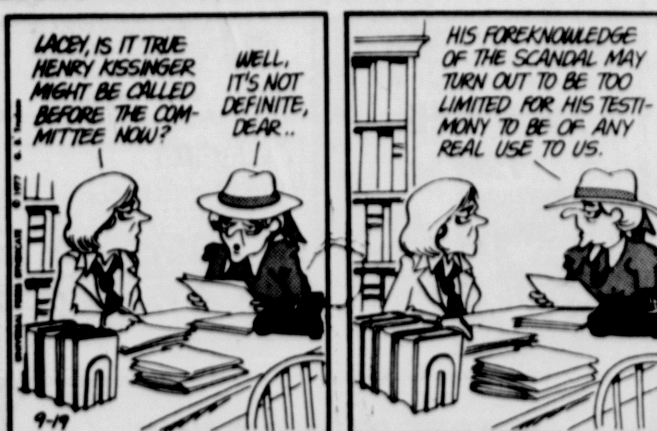
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Looking back

Pattengill farm sold this week

60 years ago
September 19, 1917
D. Randol has sold his property on Ruth street to J.W. Howell, who will occupy it as soon as he can get possession.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Taylor at McMullin September 9th, a daughter.
Miss Ruth Mathewson of New Madrid has accepted the position as teacher of the fourth grade in the local grammar school to succeed Miss Effie Smith, who resigned to accept a position with The Herald. Miss Mathewson began her work Wednesday.
The G.F. Bruton Real Estate and Investment Co., sold 320 acres of land at \$110 per acre to Louis Hinkle this week. This is the farm known as the Dr. Hinkle farm. There have also been prospective buyers from

Iowa, Indiana, Illinois, and Kansas City in Sikeston the past week.
50 years ago
September 19, 1927
Miner Switch - Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. Matthews and little son are visiting Mrs. Matthews relatives in West Plains and Willow Springs this week.
Morley - Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Leslie spent Sunday and Labor Day in Arcadia.
Piggly Wiggly. Sikeston's Piggly Wiggly store is now in operation. The first store opened in Sikeston on September 9 at 217 North New Madrid.
Canalou - Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gohlsch and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Weaks and daughter, Elouise, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bailey of Black Oak, Ark., Sunday.

40 years ago
September 19, 1937
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Ausmus at Centralia, Mo., Friday. Mrs. Ausmus is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M.M. Beck of Sikeston.
Mr. and Mrs. K.R. Patterson, who were located in the R.A. McCord apartment on Gladys street, have gone to Rolla, where they have accepted positions.
Mrs. Herman Henry, Mrs. John Welter, and Mrs. Clarence Vogelsang of Cape Girardeau, will spend Friday in St. Louis.
Commerce - Mr. and Mrs. George Shoers spent Sunday at Chaffee, the guest of their son and family.
Mrs. Mildred Jane Moore, 23, who lived north of Gray Ridge, died at St. Francis Hospital at

Cape Girardeau Monday of complications following childbirth.
30 years ago
September 19, 1947
Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Blanton, sr., were hosts last night at an anniversary dinner for employees and friends of the Daily Sikeston Standard in the banquet room of the Hotel Dunn. The anniversary dinner was in observance of Mr. Blanton's 84th birthday that day and the 57th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Blanton, which occurred the day before.
Johnny Taylor, who has been on the daytime police force in Sikeston for the past two years, has resigned and will take employment with the Hart's Bakery here.
Melvin Dace has purchased the interest of his brother, Dennis Dace, in the Dace Bros. Paint and Trim Co., on Highway 61 north, and will operate the business under the name of Dace Paint and Trim Shop, it was announced today.
Monday night the engagement of Miss Peggy Tatum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernie H. Tatum of Kennett, to G.B. Greer, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Moore Greer, sr., of Sikeston, was disclosed at a dessert bridge given by Miss Tatum's sister, Mrs. Jim Farmer, at her home in Kennett.
Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hooper of Benton are parents of a son born Wednesday at St. Francis Hospital in Cape.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lambert are now pleasantly located at 515 Lake street.

exciting of any similar festival conducted by the Legionnaires.
Phillip Theodore Dossett, farmer of Sikeston, Route 1, died at his home Wednesday.
Since their arrival on the campus at Westminster College on September 8, new students have participated in rush week activities. The following from Sikeston were pledged: James Moore, 912 North Kingshighway, pledged Beta Theta Pi; and Alfred Sikes, Phi Delta Theta.
Martha Elizabeth Marable, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Marable of Charleston, and the granddaughter of Mrs. R.D. Mow of Sikeston, is the new drum major for the Charleston High School band.
The Rev. and Mrs. Billie Butler are the proud parents of a baby boy born yesterday at the Delta Community Hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Heggard of Portageville are parents of a daughter born yesterday.
A baby girl was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Duncan of Marston.

Armed forces

GAYLON COUCH
SAN ANTONIO, TEX. — Airman Gaylon D. Couch, son of Mr. and Mrs. E.D. Couch of 850 Agnes St., Sikeston, Mo., has graduated at Lackland AFB, Tex., from the U.S. Air Force technical training course for security police specialists.
Airman Couch, now trained in security and law enforcement, is being assigned to Francis E. Warren AFB, Wyo., for duty air Command. Completion of the course earned the individual credits towards an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.
The airman is a 1977 graduate of Sikeston High School.

20 years ago
September 19, 1957
One week from tonight, the 13th annual American Legion Cotton Carnival opens its three-day session of fun and excitement, and if there is anyone superstitious enough to worry about that numeral 13, they can forget it right now, for this year's Cotton Carnival, judging from the program and its special events, promises to be the biggest, most glamorous and

"COTTON TOP KING & QUEEN" CONTEST
Officials of Henry Melndrum Post No. 114, The American Legion are opening the campaign to build up for the 33rd annual Cotton Carnival, scheduled to be held Sept. 19-24 and first on the list of the important events will be the "Cotton Top King and Queen" contest, which will be held Wednesday, Sept. 21 at 7:30 p.m.
Any youngster, boy or girl, in the area, between the ages of four and six is eligible except he, or she, must have blond hair.
Parents interested in entering their youngsters in this contest are required to fill out the following blank and mail it to Tom Marshall, PO Box 573, Sikeston, Mo. 65601. Have your child behind stage at Legion Park at 6:45 p.m. Wed. Sept. 21.
No entries will be accepted after Sept. 20.
Name _____ Age _____
Sex _____
Name of Parents _____
Address _____
(Street and Town)

No suspects in deaths of children

CLIMAX SPRINGS, Mo. (AP) — Four children, ranging in age from 15 months to 14 years, were shot and killed at their isolated house in the Missouri Ozarks Thursday night.
Officers said they had no motive for the killings, and there apparently were no suspects.
The bodies of three of the children were found in their small, pink frame house along Camden County Route EE in the Lake of the Ozarks area. Two bodies were found on the living room floor and the third one was in a bed. The fourth body was found about 10 feet from the house in the back yard.
Dr. R.R. Porter, the county coroner, said three of the children were shot in the head and the fourth was shot in the base of the neck. He said his preliminary investigation showed they were shot with a .22-caliber weapon. Autopsies were planned.
The victims were two girls, about 15 months and 3 years, and two boys, about 12 and 14. The victims were identified as the children of Mr. and Mrs. George Swift.
The parents were reportedly playing bingo at an American Legion post in nearby Sunrise Beach at the time of the slayings, and the children apparently had been left alone.
"I don't know if anyone broke in or not," said Deputy Sheriff Joe Vaughn. "There's no evidence of any forcible entry."
The bodies were discovered by a girl who sometimes babysits for the Swifts. Authorities said she had gone to the Swift home to deliver a message because the family had no telephone.
The bodies were found about 8:15 p.m., and the coroner said they had been dead about an hour.
All of the bodies were fully clothed, Vaughn said. He said he did not know how close the victims were to their assailant when they were shot. They were not tied up, the deputy said.
The house is flanked by a small church and a mobile home, but there was no one at the church and the occupants of the mobile home were gone at the time of the shootings. Porter said apparently no one heard the shots. The coroner said there is no other building within a mile of the house.

Kindergarten provides Sikeston's 5-year-Olds with an early education

A child grows. A child develops. The classroom replaces the nursery. The teacher joins parents as the authority figure. The kindergarten is a place to aid in growth and development.
Children of five need to be with others of their own age group and when they have this association in a challenging environment and are guided by a well-qualified teacher, they grow in their ability to observe, to share and to express themselves in many ways.
When the child is offered such opportunities in a good kindergarten under wise leadership, the parents also benefit. The child of kindergarten age is beginning to look outside his home into his immediate community. Through school activities he is introduced into some of the privileges of the

community and begins to see himself related to these, even though it may be in a very small way.
Most of his learning is involved with forming habits, building attitudes, learning to get along with others, understanding himself better, all of which are important at this time in a child's growth.
Can every five-year-old identify a circle, square, rectangle or triangle; can he recognize color names; does he know how to print his name and how to use the telephone; does he know the numbers and concepts of number relationships and the letters and their sounds?
Hopefully during the kindergarten year a child's individual academic needs will be met with reasonable success. This year 375 children, five years of age before Oct. 1, are transported to the present

facility for three hours of foundation work for first grade.
At present a faculty of eight teachers strive to make this beginning year a happy and successful learning experience for each child. Examples of learning activities include: instruction in developing coordination leading to writing skills; listening skills and other skills related to learning letter sounds used in reading and word meanings.
Touch learning experiences appropriate to teaching, feeling, hearing, smelling, tasting and touching; number skills and conceptual use of them; experiences in role playing, dramatization, art, music and audiovisual equipment.
The present school plant, old World War II barracks located at the Airport, is leased from the city of Sikeston and is well known by most Sikestonians.

Corn and soybeans nearing harvest in the Midwest

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's important crops of corn and soybeans are rapidly nearing the harvest stage in key Midwest areas. The commodities will play a vital role in farm operations and consumer food prices in the coming year.
New production estimates, based on surveys Sept. 1, are scheduled to be released today by the Agriculture Department.
A month ago USDA's corn estimate was put at 6.09 billion bushels, a decline of 4 per cent from July prospects of a record 6.33 billion bushels. The 1976 corn crop was 6.22 billion bushels, the record so far.
Despite serious pockets of drought, including the Southeast, much of the main corn area received rains last month, which some authorities believe could boost USDA estimates for this fall's harvest.
For example, after the markets closed last Friday, private crop forecaster in Chicago estimated the corn harvest at more than 6.13 billion bushels, up from USDA's forecast in August.

The 1977 soybean crop was estimated last month at a record of 1.6 billion bushels, up 27 per cent from the reduced harvest last year of 1.26 billion.
Corn, supplemented by other feed grains, is the most important animal feed for the production of meat, milk and poultry in the United States. Soybeans provide high-protein meal for livestock feed and vegetable oil for a variety of food products.
The report also will include updated estimates for 1977 wheat production, nearly all of which has been put into bins and elevators. Last month USDA estimated total wheat at 2.04 billion bushels, exceeded only by last year's record harvest of 2.15 billion bushels and the 1975 crop of 2.14 billion.
New figures for cotton also are being worked up. Last month, in its initial 1977 estimate, USDA put the crop at 13.5 million bales, up 28 per cent from 10.6 million last year.
Estimates of some other crops also will be updated to reflect Sept. 1 conditions, including sorghum, oats, barley, rice, peanuts, tobacco, sugar

beets and sugarcane.
The big crops of wheat and corn in recent years have meant a climb in U.S. grain stockpiles and lower prices for farmers.
As of June 1, for example, the carryover of wheat going into this year's harvest was more than 1.1 billion bushels, the most since nearly 1.3 billion bushels were in the inventory on June 1, 1963. A year ago it was 664 million bushels.
The corn stockpile this Oct. 1 is expected to be 901 million bushels, the most since 1972 when 1.13 billion were in surplus. A year ago it was 398 million.
Because of the grain buildup, the Carter administration has announced plans to require wheat farmers to cut 1978 wheat plantings 20 per cent from this year in order to qualify for full government price support benefits. A 10 per cent cutback in cotton and other feed grains also is being considered.
Georges Escoffier, "the king of chefs and chef of kings," began his career at the age of 12 and retired in 1920 after 62 years of active service.

the people's korner

Words cannot express feelings for, Dallas Poe the girl who was picked up at my place of business — to my understanding she was to be took home. Between me and the law officer I had went home for one hour.
When I came back to my restaurant, my waiter told me to look over on the juke box the juke box is like a stereo that people have at home. She had pulled her a chair over to the juke box and laid her head down on the juke box all my waitress said she was not bothering anyone. I had customers in and I didn't think it looked very nice.
So I called the City Hall and asked them if they could come and get her so, when the law officer came in I told him I did not want her took to jail, because she had children at home. He laid a piece of paper down on the check out counter and said I would have to sign a complaint before he could "remove her". I signed the paper. He went over to the juke box said get up. She raised her head up and said where are you taking me. He said home. Everyone in here heard him. She got up on her own and

walked out in front of him, her niece was sitting on the outside when she saw him come out with her. Her niece jumped out of the car and asked the law officer where he was taking her. He said home. Do you know where she lives. The girl said Kirkendall St. The next morning when I opened my restaurant at 5:00 before daylight, I have witnesses to prove I went to the phone and called the city hall to be sure they didn't lock her up. When I called, the woman that found her told me what happened. I was not able to work that day. Late that afternoon when the paper came out, someone had told me she was disturbing the peace down at the Country Bunkin Restaurant. I have waitress of what the law office told me and the girl before he went out the door with her. The only reason I called was because my restaurant was full of people but I will say again I did not want her locked up in jail. Words cannot express my feelings for Mrs. Poe, her brother which I know well, and to her children her husband I did not know, but some one made a false statement to the paper.
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Scott County R6 District
Sikeston, Missouri 63801

Tuesday, September 20, 1977

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4	I and II	Southwest School
5	I	Senior High School
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(For voters residing in Precinct I (Park), who voted in the last election at Semo Motor Co; for voters residing in Precinct II (Airport), who voted in the last election at N.E. Fire Station; and voters residing in the McMullin Precinct, who voted in the last election at the McMullin Gin Co.)
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Looking back

Pattengill farm sold this week

60 years ago
September 19, 1917
D. Randol has sold his property on Ruth street to J.W. Howell, who will occupy it as soon as he can get possession.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Terry of McMullin September 9th, a daughter.
Miss Ruth Mathewson of New Madrid has accepted the position as teacher of the fourth grade in the local grammar school to succeed Miss Effie Smith, who resigned to accept a position with The Herald. Miss Mathewson began her work Wednesday.
The C.F. Bruton Real Estate and Investment Co., sold 320 acres of land at \$110 per acre to Louis Hinkle this week. This is the farm known as the Dr. Patterson farm. There have also been prospective buyers from

Iowa, Indiana, Illinois, and Kansas City in Sikeston the past week.

50 years ago
September 19, 1927
Miner Switch — Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. Matthews and little son are visiting Mrs. Matthews relatives in West Plains and Willow Springs this week.

Morley — Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Leslie spent Sunday and Labor Day in Arcadia.

Piggly Wiggly. Sikeston's Piggly Wiggly store is now in operation. The first store opened in Sikeston on September 9 at 217 North New Madrid.

Canalou — Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gohlson and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Weeks and daughter, Elouise, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bailey of Black Oak, Ark., Sunday.

40 years ago
September 19, 1937
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Ausmus at Centralia, Mo., Friday. Mrs. Ausmus is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M.M. Beck of Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. K.R. Patterson, who were located in the R.A. McCord apartment on Gladys street, have gone to Rolla, where they have accepted positions.

Mrs. Herman Henry, Mrs. John Welter, and Mrs. Clarence Vogelsang of Cape Girardeau, will spend Friday in St. Louis.

Commerce — Mr. and Mrs. George Shoers spent Sunday at Chaffee, the guest of their son and family.

Mrs. Mildred Jane Moore, 23, who lived north of Gray Ridge, died at St. Francis Hospital at

Cape Girardeau Monday of complications following childbirth.

30 years ago
September 19, 1947

Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Blanton, sr., were hosts last night at an anniversary dinner for employees and friends of the Daily Sikeston Standard in the banquet room of the Hotel Dunn. The anniversary dinner was in observance of Mr. Blanton's 84th birthday that day and the 57th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Blanton, which occurred the day before.

Johnny Taylor, who has been on the daytime police force in Sikeston for the past two years, has resigned and will take employment with the Hart's Bakery here.

Melvin Dace has purchased the interest of his brother, Dennis Dace, in the Dace Bros. Paint and Trim Co., on Highway 61 north, and will operate the business under the name of Dace Paint and Trim Shop, it was announced today.

Monday night the engagement of Miss Peggy Tatum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernie H. Tatum of Kennett, to G.B. Greer, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Moore Greer, sr., of Sikeston, was disclosed at a dessert bridge given by Miss Tatum's sister, Mrs. Jim Farmer, at her home in Kennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hooper of Benton are parents of a son born Wednesday at St. Francis Hospital in Cape.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lambert are now pleasantly located at 515 Lake street.

20 years ago
September 19, 1957

One week from tonight, the 13th annual American Legion Cotton Carnival opens its three-day session of fun and excitement, and if there is anyone superstitious enough to worry about that numeral 13, they can forget it right now, for this year's Cotton Carnival, judging from the program and its special events, promises to be the biggest, most glamorous and

exciting of any similar festival conducted by the Legionnaires. Phillip Theodore Dossett, farmer of Sikeston, Route 1, died at his home Wednesday.

Since their arrival on the campus at Westminster College on September 8, new students have participated in rush week activities. The following from Sikeston were pledged. James Moore, 912 North Kingshighway, pledged Beta Theta Pi; and Alfred Sikes, Phi Delta Theta.

Martha Elizabeth Marable, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Marable of Charleston, and the granddaughter of Mrs. R.D. Mow of Sikeston, is the new drum major for the Charleston High School band.

The Rev. and Mrs. Billie Butler are the proud parents of a baby boy born yesterday at the Delta Community Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Heggard of Portageville are parents of a daughter born yesterday.

A baby girl was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Duncan of Marston.

Armed forces

GAYLON COUCH

SAN ANTONIO, TEX. — Airman Gaylon D. Couch, son of Mr. and Mrs. E.D. Couch of 850 Agnes St., Sikeston, Mo., has graduated at Lackland AFB, Tex., from the U.S. Air Force technical training course for security police specialists.

Airman Couch, now trained in security and law enforcement, is being assigned to Francis E. Warren AFB, Wyo., for duty air Command. Completion of the course earned the individual credits towards an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman is a 1977 graduate of Sikeston High School.

"COTTON TOP KING & QUEEN" CONTEST

Officials of Henry Meltrum Post No. 114, The American Legion are opening the campaign to build up for the 33rd annual Cotton Carnival, scheduled to be held Sept. 19-24 and first on the list of the important events will be the "Cotton Top King and Queen" contest, which will be held Wednesday, Sept. 21 at 7:30 p.m. Any youngster, boy or girl, in the area, between the ages of four and six is eligible except he, or she, must have blond hair. Parents interested in entering their youngsters in this contest are required to fill out the following blank and mail it to Tom Marshall, P.O. Box 573, Sikeston, Mo. 65601. Have your child behind stage at Legion Park at 6:45 p.m. Wed. Sept. 21.

No entries will be accepted after Sept. 20
Name _____ Age _____
Sex _____
Name of Parents _____
Address _____
(Street and Town)

No suspects in deaths of children

CLIMAX SPRINGS, Mo. (AP) — Four children, ranging in age from 15 months to 14 years, were shot and killed at their isolated house in the Missouri Ozarks Thursday night.

Officers said they had no motive for the killings, and there apparently were no suspects.

The bodies of three of the children were found in their small, pink frame house along Camden County Route EE in the Lake of the Ozarks area. Two bodies were found on the living room floor and the third one was in a bed. The fourth body was found about 10 feet from the house in the back yard.

Dr. R.R. Porter, the county coroner, said three of the children were shot in the head and the fourth was shot in the base of the neck. He said his preliminary investigation showed they were shot with a .22-caliber weapon. Autopsies were planned.

The victims were two girls, about 15 months and 3 years, and two boys, about 12 and 14. The victims were identified as the children of Mr. and Mrs. George Swift.

The parents were reportedly playing bingo at an American Legion post in nearby Sunrise Beach at the time of the slayings, and the children apparently had been left alone.

"I don't know if anyone broke in or not," said Deputy Sheriff Joe Vaughn. "There's no evidence of any forcible entry."

The bodies were discovered by a girl who sometimes babysits for the Swifts. Authorities said she had gone to the Swift home to deliver a message because the family had no telephone.

The bodies were found about 8:15 p.m., and the coroner said they had been dead about an hour.

All of the bodies were fully clothed, Vaughn said. He said he did not know how close the victims were to their assailant when they were shot. They were not tied up, the deputy said.

The house is flanked by a small church and a mobile home, but there was no one at the church and the occupants of the mobile home were gone at the time of the shootings. Porter said apparently no one heard the shots. The coroner said there is no other building within a mile of the house.

Kindergarten provides Sikeston's 5-year-Olds with an early education

A child grows. A child develops. The classroom replaces the nursery. The teacher joins parents as the authority figure. The kindergarten is a place to aid in growth and development.

Children of five need to be with others of their own age group and when they have this association in a challenging environment and are guided by a well-qualified teacher, they grow in their ability to observe, to share and to express themselves in many ways.

When the child is offered such opportunities in a good kindergarten under wise leadership, the parents also benefit. The child of kindergarten age is beginning to look outside his home into his immediate community. Through school activities he is introduced into some of the privileges of the

community and begins to see himself related to these, even though it may be in a very small way.

Most of his learning is involved with forming habits, building attitudes, learning to get along with others, understanding himself better, all of which are important at this time in a child's growth.

Can every five-year-old identify a circle, square, rectangle or triangle; can he recognize color names; does he know how to print his name and how to use the telephone; does he know the numbers and concepts of number relationships and the letters and their sounds?

Hopefully during the kindergarten year a child's individual academic needs will be met with reasonable success. This year 375 children, five years of age before Oct. 1, are transported to the present

facility for three hours of foundation work for first grade.

At present a faculty of eight teachers strive to make this beginning year a happy and successful learning experience for each child. Examples of learning activities include: instruction in developing coordination leading to writing skills; listening skills and other skills related to learning letter sounds used in reading and word meanings.

Touch learning experiences appropriate to teaching, seeing, hearing, smelling, tasting and touching; number skills and conceptual use of them; experiences in role playing, dramatization, art, music and audiovisual equipment.

The present school plant, old World War II barracks located at the Airport, is leased from the city of Sikeston and is well known by most Sikestonians.

Corn and soybeans nearing harvest in the Midwest

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's important crops of corn and soybeans are rapidly nearing the harvest stage in key Midwest areas. The commodities will play a vital role in farm operations and consumer food prices in the coming year.

New production estimates, based on surveys Sept. 1, are scheduled to be released today by the Agriculture Department.

A month ago USDA's corn estimate was put at 6.09 billion bushels, a decline of 4 per cent from July prospects of a record 6.33 billion bushels. The 1976 corn crop was 6.22 billion bushels, the record so far.

Despite serious pockets of drought, including the Southeast, much of the main corn area received rains last month, which some authorities believe could boost USDA estimates for this fall's harvest.

For example, after the markets closed last Friday, private crop forecaster in Chicago estimated the corn harvest at more than 6.13 billion bushels, up from USDA's forecast in Au-

gust. The 1977 soybean crop was estimated last month at a record of 1.6 billion bushels, up 27 per cent from the reduced harvest last year of 1.26 billion.

Corn, supplemented by other feed grains, is the most important animal feed for the production of meat, milk and poultry in the United States. Soybeans provide high-protein meal for livestock feed and vegetable oil for a variety of food products.

The report also will include updated estimates for 1977 wheat production, nearly all of which has been put into bins and elevators. Last month USDA estimated total wheat at 2.04 billion bushels, exceeded only by last year's record harvest of 2.15 billion bushels and the 1975 crop of 2.14 billion.

New figures for cotton also are being worked up. Last month, in its initial 1977 estimate, USDA put the crop at 13.5 million bales, up 28 per cent from 10.6 million last year.

Estimates of some other crops also will be updated to reflect Sept. 1 conditions, including sorghum, oats, barley, rice, peanuts, tobacco, sugar-

beets and sugarcane.

The big crops of wheat and corn in recent years have meant a climb in U.S. grain stockpiles and lower prices for farmers.

As of June 1, for example, the carryover of wheat going into this year's harvest was more than 1.1 billion bushels, the most since nearly 1.3 billion bushels were in the inventory on June 1, 1963. A year ago it was 664 million bushels.

The corn stockpile this Oct. 1 is expected to be 901 million bushels, the most since 1972 when 1.13 billion were in surplus. A year ago it was 398 million.

Because of the grain buildup, the Carter administration has announced plans to require wheat farmers to cut 1978 wheat plantings 20 per cent from this year in order to qualify for full government price support benefits. A 10 per cent cutback in cotton and other feed grains also is being considered.

Georges Escoffier, "the king of chefs and chef of kings," began his career at the age of 12 and retired in 1920 after 62 years of active service.

the people's korner

Words cannot express feelings for, Dallas Poe the girl who was picked up at my place of business — to my understanding she was to be took home. Between me and the law officer. I had went home for one hour.

When I came back to my restaurant, my waiter told me to look over on the juke box the juke box is like a stereo that people have at home. She had pulled her a chair over to the juke box and laid her head down on the juke box all my waitress said she was not bothering anyone. I had customers in and I didn't think it looked very nice.

So I called the City Hall and asked them if they could come and get her so, when the law officer came in I told him I did not want her took to jail, because she had children at home. He laid a piece of paper down on the check out counter and said I would have to sign a complaint before he could "remove her". I signed the paper. He went over to the juke box said get up. She raised her head up and said where are you taking me. He said home. Everyone in here heard him. She got up on her own and

walked out in front of him, her niece was sitting on the outside when she saw him come out with her. Her niece jumped out of the car and asked the law officer where he was taking her. He said home. Do you know where she lives. The girl said Kirkendall St. The next morning when I opened my restaurant at 5:00 before daylight, I have witnesses to prove I went to the phone and called the city hall to be sure they didn't lock her up. When I called, the woman that found her told me what happened. I was not able to work that day. Late that afternoon when the paper came out, someone had told me she was disturbing the peace down at the Country Bunkin Restaurant. I have waitress of what the law officer told me and the girl before he went out the door with her. The only reason I called was because my restaurant was full of people but I will say again I did not want her locked up in jail. Words cannot express my feelings for Mrs. Poe, her brother which I know well, and to her children her husband I did not know, but some one made a false statement to the paper.

Doris Ray

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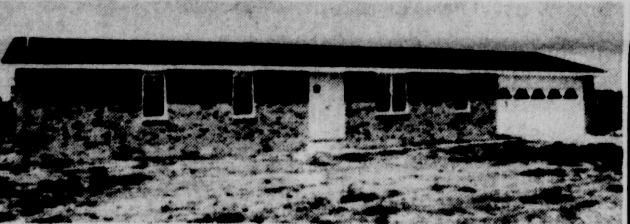
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Deaths



Joseph Schuchart

Joseph M. Schuchart, 28, of 117 Terrace Drive, died Saturday at the Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Born November 27, 1948, in Sikeston, to Mr. and Mrs. Emil J. Schuchart, he was a member of St. Francis Xavier Church where he was elected a member of the parish council.

Schuchart attended the University of Missouri at Columbia where he was a member of Phi Kappa Phi Fraternity. He received a bachelor's degree in business administration in 1971 and then returned to Sikeston where he was engaged in farming with his father and brother, Emil Schuchart Jr.

In 1976, he married the former Kay Cruce who survives.

In addition to his widow survivors include: his parents; one son, Joseph Michael Schuchart Jr.; one brother, Emil Schuchart Jr. of Sikeston; three sisters, Shirley Wasson of Chapel Hill, N.C.; Sharon Bridell of O'Fallon, Ill.; and Marilyn Schuchart of South

In lieu of flowers the family of Joseph M. Schuchart Sr. requests contributions be made to Missouri Heart Association.

Bend, Ind.; one maternal grandmother, Lora Brannum of Sikeston.

Friends may call after 1:30 p.m. today at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel where a prayer service is scheduled at 7:30 p.m. Services will be 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at St. Francis Xavier Church with the Rev. Amel Shibley officiating.

Burial will follow at Garden of Memories Cemetery. Pallbearers will include Bill Alcorn, David Shy, Fred Scherer, Steve Wood, Donald Schuchart and Greg Brannum.

Jake Smith

Morley - Pallbearers at services today for Jake B. Smith, 63, who died Saturday were: Tom and Don Penrose, Gary Phillips, Curt Milam, Doug Wells and Gary Smith. Honorary pallbearers included Ivan, Butch, Tony, Rodney and Noble Milam Jr.

Addie Hamilton

CHARLESTON - Mrs. Addie Hamilton, 100, 1210 Warren a retired school teacher died at 2:05 p.m. Saturday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston after a three week illness.

She was born Nov. 2, 1876 at Jackson and moved to Charleston in 1903.

During her teaching career she taught at Fish Lake in Mississippi County, Lincoln School at Charleston and at schools in Old Appleton, Jackson and Allenville before retiring in 1947. She was the oldest living member of Shiloh Baptist Church at the time of her death.

In 1904 she married Will Hamilton who preceded her in death Dec. 6, 1927.

Surviving are one son, Glen T. Hamilton of the home; one sister, Mrs. Mary Lawrence of Charleston; one niece Bessie Lawrence who was raised in the home and several other nieces and nephews.

Sparks Funeral Home of Charleston is in charge of arrangements which are incomplete.

Mary Pittman

Mrs. Mary Hattie Sanders Pittman, 87, of 128 Cardinal Drive, died at 3 a.m. today in the Home House at Charleston.

Time and place of birth was not available this morning. She was a member of the Clayton Avenue Missionary Baptist Church in Sikeston for over 30 years.

In 1916 she married Charlie W. Pittman who survives. Also surviving are three sons,

Charles Pittman of Peoria, Ill.; Grady Pittman of McCleary, Wash.; and James Pittman of Elma, Wash.; two daughters, Mrs. Buss Johnson of Sikeston and Mrs. Chester McMillin of Goble; and 19 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at McDaniel Funeral Home in Kennett where services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday with the Rev. Eugene Tarter officiating. Burial will follow in a Kennett Cemetery.

Charles Midgett

RISCO - Charles Aubrey Midgett, 60, died Saturday at his home.

He was born April 6, 1917 at Tiptonville, Tenn. to the late John and Bertha Slough Midgett.

On Oct. 16, 1943 in New Madrid he married Edith Wallace, who survives. He was a member of First Baptist Church in Risco and was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Army.

Also surviving are three sons, Jimmie Midgett of Risco and Ronnie and Terry Midgett of the home; four daughters, Zerlene Stafford of Dexter, Linda Walker of Essex, Darlene Hill of Malden and Sheila Midgett of the home; one brother, J. C. Midgett of St. Louis; and seven grandchildren.

Services were held at 2 p.m. today at Bradshaw Funeral Home at Risco with the Rev. Delmar McNeely and Gene Lancaster officiating.

Burial followed in Memorial Park Cemetery at Malden.

Herman Boardman

Herman Boardman, 76, of 701 E. Gladys St., died at 12:35 p.m. Sunday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

He was born Dec. 21, 1900 in Blodgett to the late W. C. and Elizabeth Wallace Boardman and had lived at his present address for 38 years.

On April 4, 1920 he married Mayme Hardesty, who died April 6, 1961.

He leased and managed Southside Oil Co. and Cafe for 15 years, retiring in 1962.

Survivors include two sons, Herman Boardman Jr. of Denver, Colo. and Dale Boardman of Sikeston; three daughters, Zoletta Godwin of Hollister and Imogene Duff and Margaret Morris of Sikeston; one brother, Charles Boardman of Delano, Calif.; one sister, Virginia Tarter of Tustin, Calif.; and 12 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at Crews-Welsh Funeral Home where services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday with

the Rev. J. Dallas Wallace, pastor of Hose Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery at Sikeston.

James Dockery

ST. LOUIS - James Monroe Dockery, 63, died Saturday at John Cochran Veterans hospital in St. Louis.

He was born Aug. 24, 1914 to the late Alexander Monroe and Ida Brown Dockery.

He was a galvanizer for Slater Manufacturing Co. in St. Louis and was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include two brothers, Lewis Dockery of St. Charles and George Dockery of St. Louis; and two sisters, Mabel Wilson of St. Charles and Mabel Davidson of DeSoto.

Friends may call at DeLisle Funeral Home in Portageville where services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday with the Rev. Herchel Godair officiating.

Burial will follow in Portageville Cemetery.

Cletha Coleman

IMPERIAL - Cletha May Coleman, 73, died Friday at her home.

She was born May 22, 1904 at Clarkton to the late Edward and Henrietta Luckeford Smith.

On Sept. 3, 1927 in Piggott, Ark. she married Joy Coleman, who survives.

Other survivors include one daughter, Joyce Mae Howard of Lemay; one son, Carroll Edward Coleman of Imperial; and four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Services were held at 11 a.m. today in Bradshaw Funeral Home at Malden with the Rev. Bill Ritchey officiating.

Burial followed in Lloyd Cemetery at Holcomb.

Benjamin Ramage

BLOOMFIELD - Benjamin Hubert "Bert" Ramage, 67, an industrial electrician, died at 7:15 a.m. Sunday in Dexter Memorial Hospital after an illness of one month.

He was born Dec. 19, 1910 near Salem, Ky. and had lived at Caseyville, Ill. He had lived at his present address for four years.

He was a member of International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers.

Survivors include one brother, Roy E. Ramage of San Diego, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. John L. Buck of Bloomfield, Edna L. Ramage of Poplar Bluff and Mary C. Beattie of Bloomfield; and two nephews and two nieces. Friends may call after 6 p.m.

today in Chiles-Cooper Funeral Home at Bloomfield where services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday with the Revs. Charles Hanna, pastor of First Baptist Church of Bloomfield, and Kenneth Gaines, pastor Christian Church of Bloomfield, officiating.

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RICHARD IRONS
FT. HOOD, Tex. — Army Private Richard L. Irons, son of Mrs. Corine Irons, Lilbourn, Mo., recently departed for Germany for six months of temporary duty, where he will train with other members of his unit under the "Brigade '75" program.

The "Brigade '75" program involves the rotating units from Ft. Hood, Tex., to Europe to increase Army combat capability while maintaining a scheduled level of troop strength.

Pvt. Irons, who is regularly assigned as a combat engineer with the 2nd Armored Division at the fort, entered the Army in March of this year.

The private is a 1976 graduate of Lilbourn High School.

DAVID SCOTT
RANTOUL, Ill. — David M. Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. Scott of 102 Lombardy, East Prairie, Mo., was one of the specially selected Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) cadets from college campuses across the nation chosen to take part in an Air Force ROTC advanced training program.

Under the program, Cadet Scott went to Chanute AFB, Ill., to gain a first-hand impression of military life as an understudy to a junior officer working in a field of the cadet's interest.

The cadet, a student at Southeast Missouri State University, will earn his degree and receive a commission as an Air Force second lieutenant in May 1978.

Cadet Scott is a 1972 graduate of East Prairie High School. His wife, Carla, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Howard of 618 Mount Auburn Road, Cape Girardeau, Mo.

ROBERT BROWN
U.S. Army, Germany — Army Specialist Four Robert E. Brown of Portageville, Mo., and other members of the 377th Field Artillery in Germany, recently took part in an annual

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Deaths



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Joseph M. Schuchart, 28, of 117 Terrace Drive, died Saturday at the Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Born November 27, 1948, in Sikeston, to Mr. and Mrs. Emil J. Schuchart, he was a member of St. Francis Xavier Church where he was elected a member of the parish council.

Schuchart attended the University of Missouri at Columbia where he was a member of Phi Kappa Phi Fraternity. He received a bachelor's degree in business administration in 1971 and then returned to Sikeston where he was engaged in farming with his father and brother, Emil Schuchart Jr.

In 1975, he married the former Kay Cruce who survives.

In addition to his widow survivors include: his parents; one son, Joseph Michael Schuchart Jr.; one brother, Emil Schuchart Jr. of Sikeston; three sisters, Shirley Wasson of Chapel Hill, N.C.; Sharon Bridell of O'Fallon, Ill.; and Marilyn Schuchart of South

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Burial will follow at Garden of Memories Cemetery.

Pallbearers will include Bill Alcorn, David Shy, Fred Scherer, Steve Wood, Donald Schuchart and Greg Brannum.

Jake Smith

Morley - Pallbearers at services today for Jake B. Smith, 93, who died Saturday were: Tom and Don Penrose, Gary Phillips, Curt Milam, Doug Wells and Gary Smith.

Honorary pallbearers included Ivan, Butch, Tony, Rodney and Noble Milam Jr.

Addie Hamilton

CHARLESTON - Mrs. Addie Hamilton, 100, 1210 Warren a retired school teacher died at 2:05 p.m. Saturday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston after a three week illness.

She was born Nov. 2, 1876 at Jackson and moved to Charleston in 1903.

During her teaching career she taught at Fish Lake in Mississippi County, Lincoln School at Charleston and at schools in Old Appleton, Jackson and Allenville before retiring in 1947. She was the oldest living member of Shiloh Baptist Church at the time of her death.

In 1904 she married Will Hamilton who preceded her in death Dec. 6, 1927.

Surviving are one son, Glen T. Hamilton of the home; one sister, Mrs. Mary Lawrence of Charleston, one niece Bessie Lawrence who was raised in the home and several other nieces and nephews.

Sparks Funeral Home of Charleston is in charge of arrangements which are incomplete.

Mary Pittman

Mrs. Mary Hattie Sanders Pittman, 87, of 128 Cardinal Drive, died at 3 a.m. today in the Host House at Charleston.

Time and place of birth was not available this morning. She was a member of the Clayton Avenue Missionary Baptist Church in Sikeston for over 20 years.

In 1916 she married Charlie W. Pittman who survives.

Also surviving are three sons,

Charles Pittman of Peoria, Ill., Grady Pittman of McCleary, Wash. and James Pittman of Elma, Wash.; two daughters, Mrs. Buss Johnson of Sikeston and Mrs. Chester McMillin of Gobler; and 19 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at McDaniel Funeral Home in Kennett where services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday with the Rev. Eugene Tarter officiating.

Burial will follow in a Kennett Cemetery.

Charles Midgett

RISCO— Charles Aubrey Midgett, 60, died Saturday at his home.

He was born April 6, 1917 at Tiptonville, Tenn. to the late John and Bertha Slough Midgett.

On Oct. 16, 1943 in New Madrid he married Edith Wallace, who survives.

He was a member of First Baptist Church in Risco and was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Army.

Also surviving are three sons, Jimmie Midgett of Risco and Ronnie and Terry Midgett of the home; four daughters, Zerlene Stafford of Dexter, Linda Walker of Essex, Darlene Hill of Malden and Sheila Midgett of the home; one brother, J. C. Midgett of St. Louis; and seven grandchildren.

Services were held at 2 p.m. today at Bradshaw Funeral Home at Risco with the Revs. Delmar McNeely and Gene Lancaster officiating.

Burial followed in Memorial Park Cemetery at Malden.

Herman Boardman

Herman Boardman, 78, of 701 E. Gladys St., died at 12:35 p.m. Sunday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

He was born Dec. 21, 1900 in Blodgett to the late W. C. and Elizabeth Wallace Boardman and had lived at his present address for 38 years.

On April 4, 1920 he married Mayme Hardesty, who died April 6, 1961.

He leased and managed Southside Oil Co. and Cafe for 15 years, retiring in 1962.

Survivors include two sons, Herman Boardman Jr. of Denver, Colo. and Dale Boardman of Sikeston; three daughters, Zoletta Godwin of Hollister and Imogene Duff and Margaret Morris of Sikeston; one brother, Charles Boardman of Delano, Calif.; one sister, Virginia Tarter of Tustin, Calif.; and 12 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at Crews-Welsh Funeral Home where services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday with

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Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery at Sikeston.

James Dockery

ST. LOUIS— James Monroe Dockery, 63, died Saturday at John Cochran Veterans hospital in St. Louis.

He was born Aug. 24, 1914 to the late Alexander Monroe and Ida Brown Dockery.

He was a galvanizer for Slater Manufacturing Co. in St. Louis and was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include two brothers, Lewis Dockery of St. Charles and George Dockery of St. Louis; and two sisters, Mabel Wilson of St. Charles and Mabel Davidson of DeSoto.

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Services were held at 11 a.m. today in Bradshaw Funeral Home at Malden with the Rev. Bill Ritchey officiating.

Burial followed in Lloyd Cemetery at Holcomb.

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BLOOMFIELD— Benjamin Hubert "Bert" Ramage, 67, an industrial electrician, died at 7:15 a.m. Sunday in Dexter Memorial Hospital after an illness of one month.

He was born Dec. 19, 1910 near Salem, Ky. and had lived at Caseyville, Ill. He had lived at his present address for four years.

He was a member of International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers.

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FT. HOOD, Tex. — Army Private Richard L. Irons, son of Mrs. Corine Irons, Lilbourn, Mo., recently departed for Germany for six months of temporary duty, where he will train with other members of his unit under the "Brigade '75" program.

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Pvt. Irons, who is regularly assigned as a combat engineer with the 2nd Armored Division at the fort, entered the Army in March of this year.

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